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## SUGGESTIONS FOR A NAVY

Admiral Fleet Outlines Scheme  
For Canadian Fighting  
Force

POWERFUL FLOTILLA  
OF NEW VESSELS

Naval Authority Outlines the  
Requirements for Auxiliary  
Squadron

The Colonist is able to present this morning a very interesting and valuable series of suggestions from Rear-Admiral Fleet, who is so well and favorably known to all residents of Victoria. During his residence in this city Admiral Fleet took a great interest in all matters relating to the Royal Navy and Canada's participation in naval defence.

Sir: About two years ago you were kind enough to publish in your columns a suggestion of mine including certain details for a Canadian naval force.

As a bill for a naval force is now likely to be brought forward in the Dominion parliament, I venture to renew these suggestions with certain alterations to meet the march of events and the conditions of the times.

I now advocate as you will see new vessels being acquired, and the flotilla suggested would be a powerful auxiliary to a cruiser squadron despatched from China, where our nearest naval force is stationed, and from whence they could not be accompanied by destroyers on account of their limited coal capacity without considerable delay.

The latest ocean-going destroyers have a steaming radius of 1,500 miles only or a total steaming distance of 3,000 miles at a speed of 13½ knots. Since commencing these remarks I have seen in the Colonist Mr. Gregg's suggestions on the same subject, but I consider new and up to date cruisers would be in every way more desirable, old vessels being practically useless except for training purposes.

ERNEST FLEET.

Rear Admiral.

64 Lombard street, London, E. C.

**Royal Canadian Navy—(Suggestions)**  
Bases—Pacific coast, Esquimalt, Atlantic coast, Halifax with subsidiary base at Montreal.

Force (Pacific), cruisers—Two new cruisers of "Boadicea" type about 4,000 tons; speed 27 knots. Destroyers—Six destroyers (all to be built in England from Admiralty designs) and sent out together with cruisers via Magellan, thus showing the flag in the various South and Central American ports and indicating the co-operation of the Dominion in the defence of the Empire. Torpedo boats—Also six torpedo boats to be built, if not engined, by the private firms at Esquimalt, Victoria and Vancouver, from Admiralty designs. Air ships—One or more Dirigible air ships (constructed in Canada), fitted for observation and scouting and for dropping high explosive bombs; to be worked by Canadian navy and housed at Rodd Hill, Esquimalt. Force (Atlantic)—The same as on the Pacific coast. Torpedo boats to be built if not engined by the private firms in Eastern Canada.

**Royal Canadian Navy (Personnel)**  
Cruisers.—Commanding officers in the early years of the Canadian Navy to be Junior Captains from the Imperial Navy, just promoted to that rank, to be seconded by arrangement with the Admiralty, for two years' service under the Canadian government, on Canadian pay and allowances. Time thus served to reckon as time (sea service) in the Imperial Navy. Junior commissioned officers (Lieutenants and Sub-Lieutenants) to be selected by arrangement with the Admiralty from the Lieutenants R. N. (Supplementary List) and Royal Naval Reserve officers who have undergone one or more years of training in the Royal Navy.

Midshipmen, Canadian boys entered under the system at present existing in the Royal Navy, but at a somewhat later age. A special Naval Department at the R. M. College, Kingston, to be formed for their instruction in Navigation, Nautical Astronomy, Nautical Surveying, Hydrography, Engineering, Musketry and Infantry Drill and Airship Construction and Management.

The course to be at first of such duration that the first batch of cadets entered would be ready for the cruisers on the completion of their construction.

Destroyers—Two of the Destroyers in each flotilla (Atlantic and Pacific) to be commanded by Junior Commanders (Royal Navy) just promoted to that rank, those having large experience in "Destroyer" work having the preference. To be seconded as in the case of the Captains for two years' service in the Canadian Navy and under the same conditions as to pay and service. The remaining Destroyers to be commanded by Lieutenants (Supplementary List Royal Navy) or Lieutenants Royal Naval Reserve, who have served in the Royal Navy and have been through the Gunnery and Torpedo Courses at one or other of the naval establishments in England. Sub-Lieutenants from Sub-Lieutenants Royal Naval Reserve.

Gunnery from seamen Royal Navy, who have taken their discharge after their first 10 years of service. Seamen from Royal Fleet Reserve and Royal Naval Reserve by arrangement with the Imperial Government. Those of the latter having experience of the Canadian ports, East and West, having the preference.

Seaman Instructors (Gunnery and

Torpedo) to be lent, at first, by Imperial Government, Artificers, Carpenters, Plumbers, Electricians, Shipwrights, and other skilled tradesmen. Also boys (seamen class) and stokers to be recruited in the Dominion. Civilians, officers, engineers, surgeons, accountant officers, chaplains, together with their staffs to be obtained in the Dominion.

The problem of the personnel is the most difficult in the commencement of a navy, therefore in its infancy the force would have to depend very largely on the assistance of the Imperial government in that respect, but as years rolled on and the junior officers and seamen, etc., rose to the higher positions, the force would in time be entirely Canadian.

I would be in favor of new and the most up-to-date vessels being obtained as these only would be reliable in actual service and a flotilla as described, on either side of the Dominion would in time be a danger to any most valuable subject to an armored cruiser squadron suddenly despatched from home waters or China to the east or west coasts of the Dominion respectively, besides protecting the coasts and shipping from single cruiser raids.

In times of peace they would serve as training squadrons for an increasing navy and in the case of the western force could carry out the Behring Sea patrol in its season and police the west coasts of Central and South America in the interests of the shipping of the Empire, setting free the small Imperial force at present employed on that work.

The airships should be commanded by officers trained in the Dominion, where important experiments are already being carried out, and would be usefully manned by sealers or others well versed in local winds and currents and sea lore.

Such a force would be invaluable, working in conjunction with the naval force in scouting or threatening raiding cruisers with high explosive shells or bombs, and in communicating to the garrisons the locality of a raiding force at sea off the coasts, or if attempting a landing.

During 1901, during some manoeuvres the Rodd Hill forts (Esquimalt) were surprised by a cruiser's attacking force from the rear, landed some miles down the coast.

A "Dirigible" (airship) would have given warning, or scattered them.

A very real help also to the Imperial navy would be the enlargement of the Esquimalt dry dock (easily done) so as to be capable of docking the largest vessels, battleships, or cruisers.

## POOR SECURITY FOR G.T.P. LOAN

Opposition Criticism of Propo-  
sal—Question As To Que-  
bec Bridge

Ottawa, April 28.—Today's short session of the House was devoted to a discussion of the ten million dollar loan to the Grand Trunk Pacific railway.

It was evident from what Mr. Borden stated that the bill goes into committee the opposition will have a number of amendments to offer. In his speech today Mr. Borden drew attention to the lack of security to be given for the loan. He thought that if the country is to finance the road, it should receive ten million dollars, the preferred stock as security. He also paid considerable attention to the Quebec-Moncton section, pointing out that this portion would be ready next year, while the Quebec bridge would not be ready for the next five years or so. He wanted to know what preparation the government had made for operating this section pending the construction of the bridge.

To this Mr. Graham could give no definite reply. The government was considering a ferry service across the river, which brought from Mr. Borden the question as to what method of crossing would be used in winter.

Mr. Graham stated that it was hoped that this would be all the assistance required by the company. Mr. Monk expressed the opinion that the national Transcontinental would never be a grain-carrying road. The bill was not commended by Mr. Monk on account of the circumstances surrounding it. Some better security should be given than faith in the future of the road. He thought the Georgian Bay canal would have been a better investment for the money in the road, it spending it on a white elephant of a railway. Mr. Nantel moved the adjournment of the debate.

Mr. Fielding stated that the Payne tariff bill was still in such a preliminary condition that the government had not yet formulated any policy in regard thereto.

In the Senate, Sir Richard Cartwright was asked if Sir Frederick Borden had had any correspondence in regard to the admission of Newfoundland into the Canadian confederation. He replied that there was no official correspondence.

The divorce committee reported in favor of a divorce being granted to A. W. M. Campbell, of Saskatoon, from Sarah Campbell. Senator Ross, of Halifax, gave notice of a motion declaring against the present system of divorce by Parliament and proposing that it should be by a judge of the supreme court.

## ACCEPTS CHAIR

Rev. Geo. C. Pidgeon, of Toronto, Be-  
comes Professor of Practical Theology  
in Westminster Hall

Vancouver, April 28.—Rev. Geo. C. Pidgeon, of Toronto Junction, has accepted the chair of practical theology in Westminster Hall Theological college here. The chair is endowed by the forty thousand dollar grant of Captain J. J. Logan.

Weston at St. Louis.

St. Louis, April 28.—Edward Payson Weston, with 150 tons of his New York, San Francisco walk-behind, strode into the Missouri Athletic club today, nine hours after he had left Alton, Ill., about thirty miles distant.

## SHOWS DEFICIT FOR NEXT YEAR

Chancellor Lloyd-George Has  
Unpleasant Announcement  
To Make

REVENUE IS SHORT  
BY LARGE AMOUNT

Increase In Expenditure Mostly  
Due to Old Age Pensions  
And Navy

London, April 28.—David Lloyd-George, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, tonight issued an explanatory memorandum of the revenue and expenditure for the year. He estimates the revenue in 1909-10 at £41,950,000, and the expenditure at £43,760,000, showing a deficit of £1,810,000.

The budget will be presented in the House of Commons tomorrow. It is pointed out that the increased expenditure is due mainly to old age pensions and appropriations for the navy. Dealing with the past year's finances, the Chancellor says that nearly all branches of trade and industry suffered serious depression, the foreign trade returns showing diminution in value to the amount of nearly \$570,000,000 as compared with 1907.

The Chancellor adds that it is impossible to prophesy any immediate rapid recovery, but he is of the opinion that there are some indications that foreign trade is beginning to improve. The revenue for 1908 fell short of the budget estimate by \$7,510,000. The national debt now amounts to \$3,770,606,545.

The statement, the issuance of which is an innovation by the chancellor to save time in the presentation of his budget and assist the members of the House, showed a continued decline in the consumption of beer and spirits, this decline being more marked than in previous years. In a decade the consumption of beer per head of the whole population has declined from 32.29 to 26.47 gallons, and spirits from 1.18 to .87.

Sullivan Beats Nelson

New York, April 28.—Pat Sullivan, of Brooklyn, defeated Battling Nelson, of New York, in a 10-round bout before the Sharkey A. C. Sullivan had the best of the fight all the way.

Woman Suffrage

London, April 28.—The International Suffrage Alliance occupied the entire sitting today with the discussion of proposals for the revision of its constitution. All the delegates were entertained at a dinner given tonight by the National Union of Women Suffrage Society.

## TOWN OF ADANA COMPLETE RUIN

Turkish Regiments Sent To  
Restore Order Join In Work  
Of Slaughter

London, April 28.—A special from Mersina, dated Monday night, says: "Two Turkish regiments which landed here on Saturday proceeded to Adana, where they resumed late on Sunday night the wholesale murder of Armenians and the burning of their property."

Thousands were burned to death, while those who attempted to escape were shot down by the troops. The destruction of the town of Adana is complete. The loss of life in the whole province of Adana is estimated at 30,000. The losses of Europeans in property is enormous. British and foreign warships here are active.

## LUMBER DUTY SHOULD BE HIGH

Arguments Advanced By Sena-  
tor Simmons, of North  
Carolina

Washington, April 28.—An exhaustive treatment of the lumber schedule of the tariff bill by Mr. Simmons, of North Carolina, was the feature of the session of the senate today. Mr. Simmons spoke for three and a half hours in support of the retention of the present tariff, which he maintained was but a revenue rate. Mr. Simmons says that lumber and its products constituted the principal industry of twelve states, affecting more than a thousand cities, which were largely dependent upon it. He opposed the proposed reduction of the duty on lumber principally, he said, because labor constituted a larger element in the cost of producing lumber than any other manufactured product, and further that lumber was a competitor of the articles which added to the cost of its production.

"I submit," he said, "that there can be no more cruel repression of the industry than by law adding thirty per cent to the cost of its production, and then forcing it into competition, on the one hand with the foreign product, which, on account of the difference in labor cost, stumpage cost and the cost of transportation, can be produced at 30 per cent less, and on the other hand forcing a competition with a product of our own country, the price of which has been enhanced 30 per cent by the protective tariff."

The present tariff against a duty on lumber, Mr. Simmons charged, had been instigated by the speculators having interests in Canada. He maintained that there was no lumber trust. The only beneficiaries of reduced or free lumber, he declared, would be great rich manufacturers located along the great lakes.

At the close of Mr. Simmons' argument the senate went into executive session.

## MR. DAWSON WELCOMED

Many Members of Canadian Club At  
Vancouver Attend Luncheon In  
His Honor

Vancouver, April 28.—A welcome as sincere as that of any of the other Canadian clubs who have been glad to entertain A. J. Dawson, editor of the Standard of Empire, was offered to the distinguished writer at the Vancouver Canadian Club luncheon this afternoon. There was a big attendance of members anxious to listen to this missionary of empire, who grasps imperial conditions with imperial strength, and whose outlook is bounded by that of the remotest ranges of British dominion. His newspaper was described by the chairman as one of the most powerful forces making for the unification of the Empire. It was not filled with stories of murder and sudden deaths, but with reports of commercial and imperial progress in all parts of the Empire, and with a faithful portrayal of political conditions.

Seeding on Prairies.

Winnipeg, April 28.—The Canadian Pacific railway report today says nearly every point along the entire system reports seeding begun and a little done, and that it will be general within a few days. The amount of wheat sown varies from five to twenty-five per cent of the whole area.

## WERE GRATEFUL FOR LENIENCY

Montreal Alderman Was Sup-  
ported by Liquor Men Who  
Transgressed

Montreal, April 28.—As a result of the first day's evidence given before the royal commission, it has been established that Ald. Proulx's election fund benefited to a considerable extent through contributions from liquor dealers who had charges made against them of violating the law discussed on payment of the costs on the order of Chief of Police Campeau.

Ald. Proulx is chairman of the police committee, and while it has not yet been established, it is supposed that the chief acted upon the instructions of the chairman in allowing the guilty liquor men to escape the rigors of the law upon payment of a few dollars costs in each case.

At the morning session, T. A. Gauthier, the chief clerk of the recorder's court, testified that he had been compelled to act as soliciting agent in behalf of Ald. Proulx's campaign fund, that his efforts had been confined to securing money from the men who had been thus obliged, and had been quite successful, all those called upon having subscribed, the only refusal coming from a man who had not been personally called on.

At the afternoon session some of the subscribers admitted that they had put up, and that they had done it because they had been so well treated when they got into trouble. One man, P. J. Kavanagh, was so thankful that he expended between eight and nine hundred dollars and killed his horse on election day working for Ald. Proulx. The examination of the witnesses on this line of the investigation had not been concluded when the commission rose for the day, and it is expected that other aldermen will be brought into the thing before it is concluded.

## MISS WHITE MARRIED

Daughter of American Ambassador At  
Paris Weds Prussian Officer—Re-  
ligious Ceremony Today

Paris, April 28.—Dressed in a simple gown of blue voile, and wearing a large black hat, Miss Muriel White, daughter of the American ambassador to France, was married in the mairie of the eighth arrondissement of Paris at noon today to Count Hermann Schrotthaus, an officer of the Royal Prussian Cuirassiers.

The simple civil ceremony was performed in person by Roger Allen, the mayor. Only a few of the immediate members of the families of bride and groom were present.

The marriage register showed the age of the groom to be 30 and that of the bride 29 years. The religious marriage ceremony will take place in St. Joseph's church tomorrow. Mr. White will not be present on account of the action of the Catholic church in forbidding a Protestant service in connection with the marriage. The bride will be given away by her brother.

Erie Bond Issue.

New York, April 28.—The directors of the Erie Railroad company formally accepted the conditions of the public service commission regarding the proposed \$30,000,000 bond issue of the company. The order stipulates that 75 per cent of the Erie's bondholders must assent to the company's financial plan.

## NEW REGIME IS WELCOMED

Constantinople Breathes More  
Freely Since Deposition of  
Abdul

LESS CEREMONY  
WITH NEW SULTAN

Old Ruler Will Not Be Placed  
On Trial On Charges Laid  
Against Him

Constantinople, April 28.—The former ruler of the Empire, Abdul Hamid, is to be kept a prisoner in a large house with walled grounds on the height overlooking Salonika, which has lately been occupied by the Italian commander of the international gendarmerie. He is not to be put on trial, as has been widely reported in Constantinople, for he is considered to be above the law. It was considered wise to keep the deposed Sultan in European Turkey remote from the capital. His household will be administered from the palace on a generous scale, and his life will be safeguarded, as he earnestly besought when notified of his dethronement.

Abdul Hamid, with four wives, five daughters and two of his younger sons, two eunuchs and a comparatively large number of female servants, was taken from the Yildiz palace last night and started under an escort to Salonika. The party proceeded by steam launches to the landing at the railroad, and a special train on which they were placed left at 3 o'clock in the morning.

The constitutionalists would like to get back part of the great sums of money which the former Sultan is supposed to have abroad, not only because the government is in need of the money, but because it is desirable that he should be deprived of the sources of another coup d'etat. Speculation places Abdul Hamid's wealth at anything between \$250,000,000 and \$300,000,000.

It was mentioned with pleasure today at the palace of Mehmed V., that the United States ambassador was the first of the foreign representatives to communicate his good wishes to the newly proclaimed Sultan. The Sultan sent his compliments and thanks to Mr. Leishmann, expressing pleasure that the representative of the United States was the first to congratulate him.

General Rejoicing

The city is illuminated tonight, and general rejoicing continues. Although this was a holy war, court-martials were held and several of the principals in the mutiny of the troops were condemned to death. Later they were taken outside the walls of the city and shot.

Prince Habib Eddin, the nephew of the Sultan, who was arrested on suspicion of being implicated in the rising, has been liberated, and his release has caused a good impression.

The streets of the capital are filled with Macedonian volunteers. They are being feted by the citizens at the coffee houses and restaurants, which are all full to overflowing. The risk business is being done in the sale of pictures of the Sultan and miniature flags inscribed with "liberty, fraternity, equality and justice." Hedjads and Softas, who have not been seen in recent days, are now reappearing in the public places, and conditions are assuming a normal aspect.

Soldiers on Trial

The huge square inside the railings of the war office presented an unusual scene this afternoon. Thousands of soldiers of the late garrison were seated cross-legged in companies in a great semi-circle, while officers made the rounds and picked out those suspected of active complicity in the mutiny. The men were, however, cheerful. They appeared to bear their disgrace lightly.

The illuminations tonight are extensive. All the embassies and legations being hung with lights and decorations.

Mahmoud Schefket Pasha, commanding the forces, in an interview today intimated his intention to purify the capital of all subversive elements, and to establish a salutary example to the army. He said that he would have no half measures, but would thoroughly clear up the situation. For this purpose the state of siege would be prolonged for probably a month, although it would be relaxed somewhat in the European quarter very soon.

Referring to the deportation of Abdul Hamid, General Schefket expressed the opinion that this measure was absolutely necessary in the interest of future peace in the empire. Alluding to the report that the Albanians might attempt to rescue the former Sultan, the General said he was convinced that the Albanians would refrain from such an attempt. Upon the completion of his mission, he would return to Salonika.

Mohammed V. is attending to his court duties, receiving various officials at the Dolmabahse palace, where he has taken up his quarters in a plain and unceremonious manner. Access to the palace is easy, and the Sultan's conversation is familiar, the whole being in striking contrast to the conditions that prevailed at the Yildiz. The absence of troops at the palace is marked, and only a few policemen are on duty at the entrance.

Most of the volunteers will leave for their homes tomorrow after being entertained at a farewell banquet outside the city walls.

Dramatic Scene.

Carassa Effendi, a member of the deputation from the antional assembly

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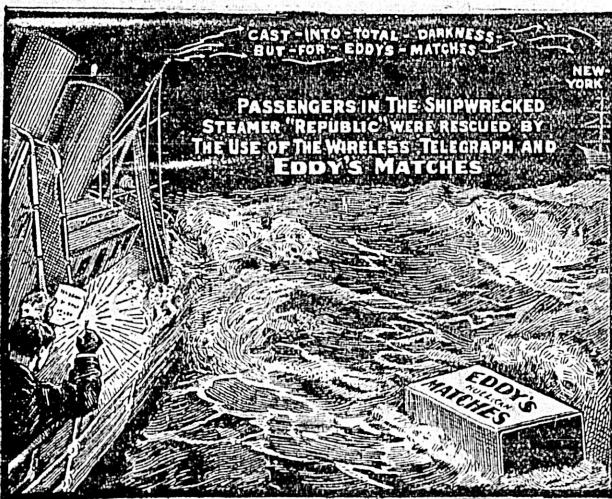
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## ENTERTAINMENT OF EDUCATIONISTS

Programme Drafted For Annual Convention of Dominion Teachers

Elaborate preparations are under way for the entertainment of the teachers who will arrive here from all portions of the Dominion for the annual convention of the Dominion Educational association in this city on July 13, 14, 15 and 16.

A central bureau will be arranged where lists of boarding houses will be kept and where the delegates may obtain information as to accommodation. On the last day of the convention a C.P.R. steamer on charter by the committee will take them for a tour of the islands and a visit to the fish traps. The sessions of the full convention will be held in the skating rink on Fort street, while the sectional meetings will be held in the High School, the South Park school and the Pemberton gymnasium. In all over a thousand teachers will be in attendance and included amongst them will be many of the leading educationists of Canada and the United States.

The final programme will be announced the end of the week. The provisional programme follows:

### Elementary Education

1. English in the Elementary School—A. N. Burt, M. A., Brantford Collegiate Institute, Brantford, Ont.
2. The Adaptation of Nature to Design, in the Elementary School—John Kyle, A. R. C. A., Supervisor of Drawing, Vancouver, B. C.
3. What is Aimed at as an Elementary Education in Our Common Schools?—Presentation of the views of each Province by representative educationists:

- Nova Scotia—Dr. A. H. MacKay, Supt. of Education.
- New Brunswick—Dr. J. R. Inch, Supt. of Education.
- Quebec—Mr. G. Parmelee.
- Ontario—R. H. Cowley, M. A., Inspector of Continuation Classes.
- Manitoba—Speaker not decided.
- Saskatchewan—Hon. J. Calder, Minister of Education.
- Alberta—Dr. A. M. Scott, Supt. of City Schools, Calgary.
- Prince Edward Island—(Speaker not decided).
- British Columbia—A. C. Stewart, Esq., Inspector of Schools.

### Inspection, Training and Higher Education

1. College and University (President's Address)—A. E. Lang, M. A., Victoria College, Toronto.
2. The Teaching of Latin—N. DeWitt, Ph. D.
3. Address—W. S. Milner, M. A.
4. The Work of a State University—Dr. W. C. Murray, President Saskatchewan University.
5. The Preparation of the Teacher for the Rural School—John Brittain, LL. D., Macdonald College.
6. The Professional Preparation of the High School Teacher—R. A. Little, B. A., Colgate Institute, London, Ont.
7. The Making of a Principal of Schools for the Small Town—B. J. Hales, LL. B., Portage la Prairie, Man.
8. The Proper Conduct and Value of the Teachers' Institute—G. Macdonald, M. A., Inspector of Schools, Antigonish, N. S.

### General Meetings

1. Business Meeting of Directors.
2. President's Address—Alexander Robinson, B. A., LL. D., Superintendent of Education, British Columbia.
3. Reception to Visiting Teachers.
4. The Future of the D. E. A.—Round table conference on suggestions for making the D. E. A. a more influential factor in Canadian education. Led by T. A. Brough, M. A., Vancouver High School; Prof. A. E. Lang, M. A., Victoria College, Toronto; Dr. W. A. McIntyre, Principal Normal School, Winnipeg; Wm. Scott, B. A., Principal Normal School, Toronto.
5. The Educational Systems of the Dominion in Relation to the Civil Service—Adam Shortt, M. A., Chairman Civil Service Commission, Ottawa.
6. The Future of the Rural Schools—Professor Jas. W. Robinson, C. M. G., LL. D., Principal Macdonald College.
7. The Organization and Management of the School System of a Large City—J. M. Greenwood, Superintendent of City Schools, Kansas City, Mo.
8. Modern Tendencies in Education—Jas. L. Hughes, Chief Inspector of the Schools, Toronto.
9. The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Learning, New York City.
10. Address—Honorable L. D. Harvey, President of the National Education Association of the United States, Menominee, Wisconsin.
11. Comparison of General Methods of Instruction in Canada and the United States—Dr. H. S. Pritchett, President of the National Education Association of the United States, Menominee, Wisconsin.
12. Address—Professor Dale, Professor of Education, McGill University, Montreal.

## OUTLOOK BRIGHT FOR ALBERNI

Prosperous Times Expected When Railroad Construction Work Commences

Some interesting information of what Alberni is doing, and the hopes which it entertains for the future, were given to the Colonist yesterday in the course of an interview with Alfred Carmichael, one of the prominent residents of the new west coast townsite, and organizer of the Alberni Land company.

In Alberni valley, which comprises some fifty square miles, quarter sections of 160 acres are being subdivided into five and ten acre farms, and numbers of these have already been taken up. This subdivision, Mr. Carmichael states, is the best thing that could have happened in the neighborhood, as the former quarter sections were too unwieldy for the settlers of little means, whereas the new plan will lead to the cutting up of the land, and the consequent utilization of a larger acreage. A considerable quantity of this land is ideal for fruit farming, and the present inhabitants of both new and old Alberni are determined to advertise the resources of their districts to the fullest limit.

"The real era of prosperity in the district," said Mr. Carmichael, "will commence with the letting of the contract for construction of the E. & N. extension towards Nanaimo. The residents are hopeful that the work

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"As is well known, the timber area in the immediate vicinity of Alberni is of the richest possible character. At present the Red Cliffe Lumber company is closed down, but doubtless operations will be resumed within a very short time as the company owns a rich area which it purchased from the E. & N. railway. We are convinced that the future great things in store for Alberni, both the new and old towns. We do not know what the plans of the C. P. R. are, but it will certainly become a shipping port of some magnitude."

Mr. Carmichael stated that the inhabitants were at present engaged in a spring cleaning campaign in which the government had joined. The property owners were cleaning up their lots while the government was doing its share on the roads and the joint efforts had resulted in a considerable improvement to the appearance of the townsite.

Mr. Carmichael, who is accompanied by his wife, returns to his home on Saturday.

## WILL ASTONISH FAIR VISITORS

In Meantime "Nugget" Is Closely Guarded by Proprietor of Local Hostelry

"Put it in the safe and don't let anyone look at it," was the injunction handed to the proprietor of a prominent Government street hostelry on Monday night, when he was handed a large sized nugget which he was informed, represented \$500 in value of Atlin yellow metal. The nugget possesses that special "heft" which everyone associates with the precious metal and according to request the lump was stowed away in a secret recess of the strong box.

But all is not gold that glitters. The "nugget," one of a number which are being prepared from the real things which have been found from time to time throughout British Columbia and the north, is for exhibition purposes at the A. Y. P. exposition. It is an excellent specimen of the art of faking. Formed of first quality lead the mass has been skillfully gilded with gold, and to make the imitation of the original more complete a piece of quartz has been cunningly sunk in one side. The whole is the size of a healthy apple of the prize winning variety, and doubtless will take away the breath and arouse the longing of the thousands at the big fair this year. In actual intrinsic value the bauble will probably go as strong as \$1.25.

In the meantime it reposes securely in the safe secluded from the eyes of any but the favored few who have been allowed to cast their optics upon it, admire it and then feel disappointed because, like so many things of this life, it is not as it seems.

The "nugget" recalls a raid made some years ago upon a case in the provincial museum from which several replicas of famous finds in this country were stolen one night by an enterprising thief who evidently thought he had fallen on easy money, when he grabbed half a dozen large sized lumps of supposedly precious metal and made away with them. History does not recall just what the feelings of the burglar were when he discovered that the proceeds of his crime constituted a healthy collection of lead valued at some cents per pound, but the loss to the provincial government was not heavy.

Doubtless, if the thief were an enterprising gentleman, he has succeeded long ere this in "gold-bricking" some innocent individual into accepting the false for the real thing.

### Gift to Mining School

Kingston, Ont., April 28.—Prof. Wm. Nicol, of the School of Mining, will turn over \$40,000 to the institute for building purposes, providing he receives an annuity during his lifetime.

### No Foot and Mouth Disease

London, Ont., April 28.—Dominion government inspectors came here today, and investigated the report that foot and mouth disease had broken out among the horses. They deny absolutely that there is any sign of the disease in London, or in the surrounding district, and brand the report in the press as false.

### For Public Safety

New York, April 28.—With a view to reducing the number of fatal accidents on street car lines, the public service commission today issued an order that every street railway company operating within the limits of Greater New York must equip its surface cars with fenders or wheel guards, and in some instances with both. The safety devices must be approved by the commission, but various types are offered for selection.

### No Pay, No Play

Ottawa, April 28.—Local 108 of the American Federation of Musicians has forbidden any of its members from henceforth playing in any of the city churches without remuneration. It has been the custom to allow union men to play free in their own churches, but it is alleged that some have extended their services without cost to other churches, hence the drastic action of the union. It will result in the abandonment of a number of local church orchestras.

## DISPLAY WEALTH OF WEST COAST

Alberni Organizes Permanent Exhibit of Natural Resources

The enterprise of the inhabitants of Alberni has led to a movement, having for its object the advertising of the resources of the district, which, as far as is known is not duplicated by voluntary effort in any other part of British Columbia. This comprises the erection of a permanent exhibit, stocked with products illustrating the natural resources of Alberni district and the West Coast of Vancouver Island. The inhabitants have already subscribed \$200 to the project, and the Alberni Land company has erected a building which will be used for housing the exhibits. The Alberni board of trade is fathering the scheme.

The best products of the district only will be shown, and efforts are now being made to secure samples from different points along the West Coast. The mineral, forest and agricultural wealth of the western portion of the island will be displayed, the primary object of the museum being to act as a standing memento of the natural wealth in which the island abounds. It is also hoped that it will serve the useful purpose of inducing visitors, who make their way to Alberni, to settle down in the neighborhood. This summer, fruit exhibits will be gathered and added to the collection being placed in regular museum jars.

The residents of Alberni have taken up the scheme with enthusiasm, and it is an active demonstration of their belief in the future of the district. It will act as a continuous bureau of information, and all people who are anxious to learn particulars of the West Coast of the island can do so by communicating with R. Bland of Alberni, who has charge of the museum.

### Life Imprisonment.

Irvin, Ky., April 28.—Beach Hargis, charged with the murder of his father, Judge James Hargis, was today sentenced to life imprisonment.

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## VAUDEVILLE BY CLEVER AMATEURS

Fashionable Audience Crowded the Victoria Theatre Last Night

A large and fashionable audience crowded the Victoria theatre to its capacity last evening to witness the production of the vaudeville entertainment given in aid of the Seamen's Institute.

The rear of the stage was beautifully banked with flowers generously donated by Mrs. H. Croft and Mrs. J. Bernard, while the boxes occupied by the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dunsinuir were artistically decorated with flags from the warships.

The programme opened with the very amusing little one-act farce "Who is Who or All in a Fog," staged by Mrs. Berkeley. The part of Mr. Simonides Swanhopper was very cleverly taken by W. D. Rochfort, who afforded much amusement to the audience in his attempts to blacken a pair of top boots. Mr. J. Heyland, as the fashionable valet, made a decided hit, his cockney accent with his imitation of his late master's airs and graces, being exceedingly well done.

Mr. Cecil Berkeley was very good as Mr. Brambleton Bloomfield, depicting the various woe and perplexities which the unfortunate gentleman was plunged with a fidelity and attention to detail which displayed much histrionic talent. The part of Miss Cicely Bloomfield, his daughter, was very daintily and prettily portrayed by Miss C. Rochfort, who is the fortunate possessor of a clear voice and good enunciation, while Miss Viva Blackwood made a most desirable and bewitching housemaid, quite captivating the audience. Both young ladies were the recipients of handsome floral offerings.

Mr. Barrington Foote delighted the audience with some very clever impersonations and received much applause.

A Vocal Favorite

The illustrated song, "I Wish I Had a Girl," was sung by Mrs. Roy Troup, whose superb voice is so well known and who is always a favorite with Victoria audiences. Mrs. Troup received a hearty encore.

Mr. Ley sang the beautiful song, "Melisande," with good effect. He was ably accompanied by Mrs. Hermann Robertson.

The "Glowworm," a beautiful spectacular musical number, was decidedly the prettiest number on the programme, Miss Heyland making most artistic centre figure, assuming various graceful attitudes and poses, as she sang her beautiful solo, awaiting the coming of her attendant chorus, as they emerged in pairs from the leafy foliage, dancing to the delightful strain of the sweetest of love songs. Then through the darkening gloom the ivy covered swings, twinkling with innumerable lights, shed their soft glow on the happy faces of the lovers, as they swayed gently too and fro. The dances and various gestures and poses were taught by Miss Heyland.

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Mrs. Lamont possesses a most beautiful and flexible voice and was rapturously encored.

The vaudeville was concluded by the charming little musical farce "A Near Shave," staged by Mrs. Herbert Kent. Mr. Jephson, always a favorite, did the part of the barber in his usual happy manner, eliciting much applause as he wielded his razor in dangerous proximity to his victim's throat. Mr. Goss, as the corporal, also was very good. He has a splendid baritone voice, which was heard to advantage in his selections. Miss Violet Goodwin took the part of the blushing bride very sweetly and gracefully, her gestures and acting being exceedingly good, and she as well possesses a flexible and pure soprano voice, which was greatly admired.

Mr. Lombard acted as stage manager and he is to be congratulated as his performance passed off without a hitch and also minus the usual waits that attend amateur theatricals.

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population of their province will depend upon the suitability of its site. It seems certain that the weight of the opinion of one so competent as the Honorable James Bryce will do much to influence public sentiment so that British Columbia's university will be founded where it may commence its career under the most favorable circumstances for achieving the greatest possible usefulness.

J. L. TODD.

### NEW REGIME IS WELCOMED

(Continued From Page One).

which yesterday conveyed the fetta to the Yildiz palace, tells a graphic story of the dramatic scene which closed six centuries of dominion of the boundless power of the Pashas. When the deputation arrived at the palace the scene was one of utter desolation. The investing army had cut off the water, gas and electric supply, and had stopped the ingress of food, so that all the palace officials were already suffering from hunger and panic. While waiting to be introduced to the Sultan the members of the deputation carefully examined their holsters and pistols, and according to Carassa, had Abdul Hamid shown an armed hand, he would have been shot on the spot.

After much delay the unwelcome visitors, surrounded by twenty black eunuchs were ushered into the Sultan's apartments, where the Sultan, son, Prince Adur Rahim, stood. Presently the Sultan entered, in a bewildered manner. He was dressed somewhat negligently, as though his clothes had been hastily donned, in civilian attire. His arms hung at his sides and his hands trembled. After a silent salute Essad Pasha pronounced in slow tones the decree of deposition, at which the Sultan shuddered.

There was a painful silence, followed by an equally painful soliloquy lasting a quarter of an hour. Abdul Hamid appealed for his life and for the lives of his family. He protested his devotion to the people and his innocence in recent events. The youthful prince burst into tears and after vain efforts to restrain his feelings, retired behind a screen, where he broke into bitter sobs. For a moment tears trembled in the Sultan's eyes, then he supplicated the soldiers in attendance to swear that they would not take his life. Then the deputation brought the interview to a close and Abdul Hamid humbly saluted them as they departed.

Enver Bey, the Young Turks leader, in another interview, declares that the conviction is forced upon him that Abdul Hamid was responsible for the recent mutiny. He thinks that all danger of a rising in Anatolia in support of the ex-Sultan, has now vanished, and like General Scheikeit, wishes to banish the idea that the army of occupation is the army of the Committee of Union and Progress. He says that the committee and army are united only in the sense that each has in view the same goal, namely, the welfare of the people and the country.

In Asiatic Turkey

Constantinople, April 28.—News has been received from Trebizond, Jerusalem and Smyrna, where the change in the sultanate was greeted with rejoicings. Numberless flags were raised aloft in each city as a sign of satisfaction. It is anticipated that all the provinces will welcome the change in like manner. A holiday was declared to celebrate the accession of Mehmed V. The bourse, the banks and all the public offices are closed. Half of the people of the city are wearing badges of red and white, the colors of liberty pinned on their coats with a six-pointed star.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The University Site.

Sir—From time to time during the past few months letters have appeared in British Columbian newspapers which have discussed the relative merits of an urban and a rural site for the university which British Columbia is to build for itself in the near future. The pros and cons of the question have been carefully discussed in these articles and it seems as though the advantages of a rural site greatly outweigh those of an urban one.

The following letter, which has just been written by Sir E. Estlin, the Honorable James Bryce, the British ambassador at Washington, is doubly interesting since it entirely concurs with that opinion.

"Any reply to the question which you put to me regarding the most desirable site, whether in a large city or in a rural area, in which to place a university, must be made subject to the remark that the professional schools of a university, such as those of clinical medicine, law and engineering, are generally better placed in, or close to, a great city. With a school of agriculture it is otherwise: it ought to have its experimental farm, and be placed in the country.

"Apart from the question of such schools, the balance of advantage seems to me to lie with a site in the country, but within easy reach of an urban area, and a rural site, or perhaps less of a considerable city. The conditions for health are generally better in the country, where there is more fresh air and more space for recreation, and as well as for the erection of buildings with plenty of room around them. It is well for the students to have the opportunity of getting to enjoy Nature, and then also for them not to have their minds too much distracted from their studies by the amusements which a great city offers. The professors can, as a rule, live in a more simple and inexpensive way when they are not expected, or tempted, to emulate the costly habits of a large city. It is, of course, a benefit to the youth of a city to have a university in it; but the benefit is almost equally well secured when it is within easy reach of the city. If possible, that city ought to be the capital of the province, for there are advantages in having the seat of learning not far from the seat of government.

JAMES BRYCE.

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## ADMIRAL FLEET'S LETTER.

The Colonist is very much gratified at being able to present to its readers this morning a letter from Rear-Admiral Fleet, in which he makes suggestions in regard to Canadian participation in the naval defence of the Empire. The Admiral's long experience entitles him to speak on this subject with a very great deal of authority. In a note accompanying the letter, he says "In the event of a war with Germany it would be easy for a German cruiser to hide in the vast Pacific, meeting a collier at stated or arranged times at one of the many mid-Pacific islands, and raid and play havoc with the unprotected ports in British Columbia, together with the shipping." We thank Admiral Fleet for his communication, which we know will be greatly appreciated by the people of this province, and will, we hope not be without influence upon the Dominion government.

## CAPT. MAHAN'S VIEWS.

Captain A. T. Mahan, U.S.N., is looked upon as an authority on naval matters. His book, "Sea Power in History," directed the attention of the world to the great value of navies far more than anything else that has been printed in recent years. Whatever he may have to say upon sea power is always read with interest, and hence his paper in the last issue of Collier's calls for attention. Capt. Mahan is much impressed with the great increase in the ability of Germany to build ships of the Dreadnought class. He quotes the First Lord of the Admiralty as saying that German shipbuilding firms "can supply all the component parts of eight battleships in a single year" and adds: "The same power of production has been provided for guns, gun-mountings and armament in general. Without further elaboration of detail, Germany, granting the mechanics and the money, can build now as many and as fast as Great Britain herself." The existence of great facilities for the production of the parts of battleships enables Germany to be ready to push construction upon ships when once they have been officially ordered, for the government of that country, unlike the British government, has the constitutional right of anticipating supply. Hence, while legislative sanction may be given only for a certain number of ships, the government may have prepared the essential parts for others. This is a line of action that Capt. Mahan points out is not possible either for the United Kingdom or the United States.

After perusing what Capt. Mahan says on this point it is reassuring to have him tell us that "the situation, though embarrassing to Great Britain, is less immediately menacing than pessimists assert"; nevertheless he thinks if Germany has the will and can find the money Great Britain will not be able to maintain the two-power standard. He thinks that the people of the United States are more concerned in the naval situation than they are disposed as a rule to believe. We quote:

I fear that the people of the United States are less concerned than their interests should prompt them to be by this menace to another English-speaking community, in the welfare of which we have a great stake; but I think we have a great stake in it, and trust that self-interest may arouse them to the fact that a portentous international fact, and factor—that is, maker of further facts—has come rapidly into existence, as well as been suddenly revealed. Granting that Great Britain still has a day of grace, in which, by strenuous effort, she can yet assure her naval supremacy, Germany can now put afloat a fleet without any other equal than that of her neighbor.

The suddenness of all this recalls other historic instances. Austria, in 1866, and France, in 1870, had awakenings similar to that which Great Britain has just undergone; only that she was in the clash of arms, with the result of dire disaster. Many of us still survive who remember the unexpected wonders of the needle gun. The first Napoleon, after Jena and Tilsit, exacted a limit to the numbers of the Prussian army; he failed, however, to note that that army was being changed in composition year by year, so that by relays of training a nation of soldiers was created imperceptibly but swiftly. He met his surprise in the battlefields, following 1812, ending with Waterloo.

Captain Mahan very thinly veils his belief that there is danger to the United States in the growing power of Germany, and says very plainly that the European country will shortly be in a position to set at defiance the Monroe Doctrine. He has no fears of any difficulty with Great Britain, but he anticipates possible complications with any other power strong enough to defy the United States navy. Control of the Panama Canal would, he says, be a mockery if the United States

were confronted with a superior navy. We quote further:

Few persons realize what the appearance of such a navy as that which Germany is building means in international affairs. The question, indeed, is not what she intends; like other governments, she may to some extent live from hand to mouth, though probably not so much so as others. The question is: What will she be able to do with such a force? That is her meaning; the expediency of an unknown future, as yet contingent and impossible to foresee. But though contingencies are beyond our ken, it is perfectly knowable, and absolutely sure, that, should they be unfavorable, she, with a decisively superior navy, will have the whip hand. To cite instances, to illustrate in detail how navies built for one purpose have insensibly been led to assert decisive effect in very different quarters, passes the limit of this writing. Thus it was, without malice prepense, that the navy of Cromwell, built for the narrow seas, was drawn, almost despite himself, to the Mediterranean; and there in his strong hands, followed by William III. and Marlborough, changed the face of Europe and shaped therefrom the destinies of America. Is there any thoughtful man who does not see that the great international questions of this present day are shaping far outside of the narrow seas, although it is quite possible that they may be decided there? Europe is full—and overflows.

## APPEAL TO THE EYE

The fruit season is not far away, and it is timely to point out to fruit growers the importance of appealing to the eyes of prospective customers. Take the article of cherries for example. In the early summer we see cherries from California exposed for sale in the stores. They look exceedingly attractive, but they do not taste nearly as well as local cherries that come in later. They impress possible purchasers on sight. Let fruit growers never forget that it is the eye that passes judgment first upon any article offered for sale, and especially when it is something that is to be eaten. That is why one always enjoys a dinner when eaten from a neatly set table much more than a better dinner served on a messy looking table. Appeal to your customers through their eyes. There are certain strawberries that are no better than other berries sold in Victoria, but they sell more readily because the boxes look a little daintier. A well packed box of apples or pears will sell much more quickly than a poorly packed box, even though the fruit in the latter is just as good as that in the former. Now and then we hear complaints from fruit-growers who say there is no sale for what they raise, but inquiry almost always shows that the fruit was marketed in a careless way.

The market in the Prairie Provinces for British Columbia fruit is worth cultivating. There is competition from the United States, and it is not very easy to prevent it. The only thing for our fruit growers to do is to put up their fruit in a manner that will stand the closest examination, and will make its first appeal to the eye of the purchaser. Needless to say that the promise of the top of the box or basket, as the case may be, ought to be borne out by the rest of the contents. That is only common honesty, and in no department of business is it more true than in selling fruit that honesty is the best policy. We are not now speaking of that side of the case; we are only attempting to impress upon people, who market fruit, that the first thing for them to do, after they have secured the quality, is to put it up in an attractive way.

## LIBERAL VIEWS

The speech of the Liberal deputy-leader at the meeting of the Victoria association of that party is of passing interest as far as it relates to matters political. Mr. John Oliver is the gentleman referred to, and he told the meeting that the reason why the province is in good financial condition is not because the ministers are wise, but because they are lucky. It is a very good thing to be lucky. If there is such a thing as luck, it ought to be better than any wisdom. We really do not believe Mr. McBride and his colleagues would feel very badly about it, if the worthy member for Delta could succeed in convincing the electorate that they are a lucky lot. Mr. Oliver claims credit for the Opposition for suggesting that the tenure of timber licenses should be perpetual, and says that they proposed it a year ago. He complains that the government have not yet carried the idea into effect. Now, without discussing who was the first to propose perpetual tenure, we may say that it is one thing to make such a proposal and another to devise equitable plans for carrying it out in practice. The government is taking time to perfect a plan, and in the meanwhile no interest is suffering. If any were, though it would be unfortunate, it would afford no reason for precipitation in determining upon a plan, which, once formed, cannot be altered for a very long time to come.

Mr. Oliver complained that agricultural land has been locked up so that actual settlers cannot get it. Just to what extent this is true is an open question. Doubtless most of the land granted under South African scrip was taken up by speculators, or, if not most of it, a great deal of it. Doubtless also some considerable areas have been purchased under the regular provisions of the Land Act; but we are not as sure as some people seem to be that such purchases are altogether objectionable. The legislature has put a price upon the Crown Lands, and if people see fit to buy them at that price and are able to turn them over at a satisfactory profit, we do not see why any objection should be raised on the general principle. The government has placed a reserve upon a great deal of land, and, speaking for ourselves, we

have sometimes thought that the policy of putting on reservations was pushed quite as far as could be justified. It is easy to talk about "the God-given right of access" to the vacant lands of the country, but experience in most parts of this Continent is to the effect that in the long run the sale of lands to people who are denounced as "speculators" has not been an unmixed evil, especially where it has been held in bodies of sufficient size to warrant and, indeed, compel the adoption of a policy of colonization by the owners. But, be this as it may, the Land Act has been on the statute book for many years and we have never heard of any party in the Legislature seeking to abolish the sale of land for cash.

Mr. Oliver claims to be a man of truth, and yet he told the meeting that Mr. McBride's attitude is responsible for the failure of negotiations for the settlement of the Songhees Reserve. We can hardly suppose that Mr. Oliver is as ignorant of the facts as he would be, if he made such a statement believing it to be true. He knows, or, if he does not know it, he has no excuse for his ignorance, that the question raised by the provincial government in regard to the reversionary right to Reserves has no bearing on the settlement of the Songhees question. He knows, or, at least he ought to know, that the only reason given for the failure of the Dominion government to settle this question is the alleged lack of legislative authority. Mr. Templeman, when he last addressed the Council of the Board of Trade in this city, stated this most explicitly, and said that he hoped the necessary legislation would be passed during the present session. Every one, who knows the ABC of this question knows that the provincial government is ready on request to sanction any settlement of the case, satisfactory to the people of Victoria, so far as relates to any reversionary right which the province may have in the land.

Mr. Oliver told his hearers that if the Liberals were defeated at the next election it would be their own fault, because the new election law gave them every protection. Mr. Oliver might be understood by some as intimating that his party had been defeated at previous elections because of crooked lists, but we do not believe he would care to make such a statement. On the whole, Mr. Oliver's best friends can hardly claim, if we may judge from what may be assumed to be a semi-official report of his observations, that he was able to make out very much of a case for the party of which he is so distinguished an ornament.

Australia is going in for dirigible balloons and aeroplanes. The British government is also about to take the subject of aeronautics up in a thorough manner.

As yet no one seems to regret the deposition of the Sultan, and as he says he does not complain, it is not very clear why there should be any fear of revolution. That Abdul Hamid can ever again occupy the throne is out of the question.

Mr. Clifford Sifton suggests that unless care is taken to save seed the celebrated Manitoba hard wheat may disappear. He lays great stress upon the necessity of using only the best kind of seed, and says that the loss to Canada from the use of defective seeds of various kinds is not less than \$25,000,000 and may equal \$50,000,000 annually.

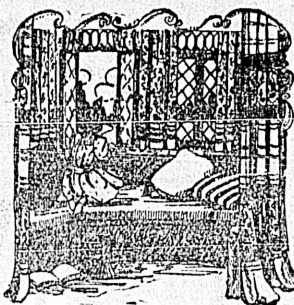
Senator Davis, of Prince Albert, proposes that hereafter railway companies shall be incorporated like other companies, that is by taking out letters patent subject to the approval of the Railway Commissioners. In many of the States of the Union railway companies are formed by filing their papers with the proper officers, and no legislation is necessary. The plan has some things to recommend it; but it is not likely to be adopted by Parliament this year.

We do not exactly understand why there should be anything mysterious or sensational about correspondence between a member of the Dominion government and any one else looking to the entry of Newfoundland into confederation with Canada. Indeed to our way of thinking, the extraordinary thing is that some members of our government have not exhibited a great deal of activity in that direction. If Sir Frederick Borden has been writing letters to any one on the subject, we hope the public will be permitted to read them. Possibly they may serve to promote a very desirable consummation.

When the Colonist asked yesterday whether the people of England really appreciated the privilege they enjoy in belonging to the British Empire, it did not intend anything very serious. But now that a contemporary refers to it, the thought occurs to us that perhaps such a question might be asked seriously enough. The writer, who asked if Canadians appreciated their privilege in that regard, was serious enough. The question followed an elaboration, not at all overdrawn, of the priceless heritage of good government and the impartial administration of the laws, which every British subject enjoys. We think all Canadians appreciate this; but we are not so sure that all people in the United Kingdom, even among the most influential, appreciate what it means to be a part of the greatest empire the world has ever known. They talk about it as if the Empire belonged to them, not as though they realized that they belong to the Empire.

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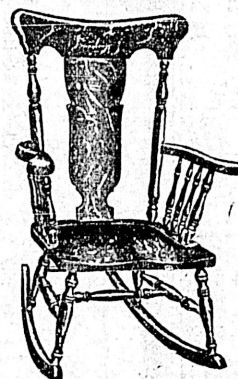
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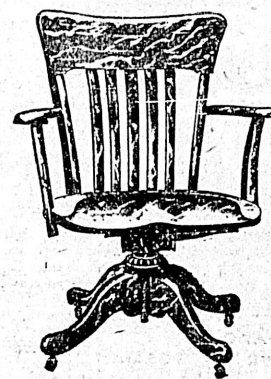
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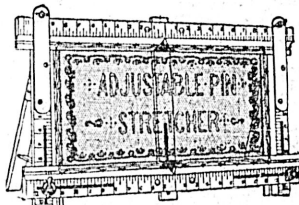
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# DEMONSTRATION BY SUFFRAGISTS

Streets Of London: Scene Of  
Processions Organized By  
Women

London, April 26.—The International Parliament of Women, representing the women of twenty countries, banded together to demand equal civil rights, is the one world event of the week in London.

An immense demonstration was made last night in Albert Hall.

Heralded by a procession of a thousand women workers carrying five hundred ancient watchmen's lanterns and all the emblems of a hundred trades, they marched from Eaton Square to Albert Hall. The lanterns had no political significance. They were introduced only for the picturesque effect. The suffragists had at last introduced poetry and beauty in the somewhat squalid arena of party politics.

One day the newly beatified Jeanne d'Arc rides astride her war steed at the head of a militant procession. Another day Queen Elizabeth, with ruff and farthingale, rides amidst Amazons carrying an escutcheon that bears the telling device, "If Queens, why not voters?" But most powerful and effective of all these appeals to the imagination are the vanloads of ex-prisoners, matrons and maidens, who have gladly "done time" in the sacred cause.

The Woman's International Suffrage Alliance, most strictly speaking, is not a suffragist organization, but no one who watches the ebb and flow of feeling of the great international assembly can doubt for a moment that it is suffragettes who are leaders of the hour. The American president, Mrs. Chapman Catt, neither blessed them at all, nor cursed them at all, holding herself strictly neutral, but her audience blessed them altogether.

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## RAILWAY CHARTERS

Senator Davis Proposes Simpler Method of Incorporation Under Railway Commission

Ottawa, April 28.—Senator T. O. Davis, Prince Albert, proposes to introduce a bill in the Senate, the principles of which, if adopted, would revolutionize the system under which railway charters are granted in Canada.

His idea is to do away with the railway committee of the senate and the Commons, and place railways on the same footing as industrial companies which are incorporated by letters patent. Any company wishing to get a charter would, under the provisions of the proposed legislation, have to submit details of its plans to the board of railway commissioners, accompanied by a money deposit to cover the cost of the purchase of the right of way.

Should the company fail to proceed with construction in the time specified by the railway commission five per cent of the deposit would revert to the Dominion treasury. A further provision is that all money raised on stocks and bonds must be put into the construction of the railway.

## NEWFOUNDLAND AFFAIR

Sir Frederick Borden Admits Correspondence With Mr. Crowe—Willing For Publication

Ottawa, April 28.—Sir Frederick Borden, when shown the sensational despatch from St. John, Newfoundland, which stated that he was in league with Harry J. Crowe, intermediary of Sir Robert Borden, to bring about the entrance of Newfoundland into Confederation, evinced no surprise at his name being coupled with the matter.

He claimed that Crowe was an old friend of his and as Crowe was interested in lumber areas on the island it was only natural that the question of the entry of Newfoundland into Confederation should have been discussed between them.

Sir Frederick claimed, however, that he had no knowledge of Crowe being Borden's intermediary. In fact Crowe had written all his letters to the premier being the chief opponent of Confederation. He added that he would be pleased to have the entire correspondence between him and Crowe given full publicity.

## Deadman's Island Again.

Vancouver, April 28.—Work is to be immediately started on the improvement of Deadman's Island with the

## Lame Back

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purpose of transforming this bone of national contention into an amusement resort.

Two hundred thousand dollars will be expended on improvements. This summer, today declared J. W. West, solicitor for the Ludgate Company, holding a perpetual lease of the island. Today officers of the company are serving notice on the two score squatters on the island that they must forthwith vacate.

the capital last night for Saloniki. He

## EXAMINE JOHNSON

ON RAILROAD SCHEME

Conservative Member Acted As Chairman Pro Tem of Public Accounts Committee

Ottawa, April 28.—In the Commons public accounts committee this morning, Mr. Meighen, Portage la Prairie, examined Thomas Johnson, a member of the Manitoba Legislature for Winnipeg, as to getting titles to land for the National Transcontinental railroad.

Johnson is charged with having increased his fees fourfold by designating each section as a "parcel" instead of a whole section. The chair was occupied by former Judge Doherty, the Conservative member for St. Ann's, Montreal, in the absence of the regular chairman, A. H. Clarke, an unusual occurrence. It is a good many years since there was a similar occurrence.

## AFTER MANY YEARS

Honor Paid To Memory of French Engineer Who Laid Out Capital of United States

Washington, D. C., April 28.—Unusual honors were today paid to the memory of Major Pierre Charles Bessier, the famous French engineer, who, under the authority of George Washington, laid out the city of Washington.

His body, which was disinterred from its resting place on Digges Farm, in Maryland, near Washington, and was buried in 1825, was taken to the Capitol under military escort today.

In the rotunda, where the body lay in state, ceremonies were held at which Vice-President Sherman and Ambassador Jusserand, of France, paid tribute to the noted Frenchman. President Taft attended as a spectator.

The body was taken this afternoon to the Arlington National Cemetery under a military and civic escort and religious services were held there. Besides the regular troops which took part in the procession there were various patriotic organizations as well as civic officials of Washington. Rev. Wm. T. Russell, rector of St. Patrick's Church of this city, which Major Bessier attended, officiated at the services in Arlington Cemetery.

## SEVEN SPIES ARE ARRESTED IN FRANCE

Rigorous Methods Resorted to by Army to Preserve Its Secrets

Paris, April 28.—The Journal publishes a despatch from its Yverdon correspondent to the effect that seven members of an association of spies have been arrested. It is declared that the number of arrests may yet reach twenty. Suspecting the spies, the police followed a clew in November. It is alleged that a man of German nationality residing in a suburb of Yverdon received military documents which he sent abroad. He would have been arrested but for a false movement on the part of a policeman. His guilt was regarded as certain, and though he was not actually caught in the act it was decided to take drastic measures against him and his expulsion from French territory was ordered.

## TO KILL M. FALLIERES

Lunatic Arrested At Monte Carlo Expressed Intention of Shooting French President

Monte Carlo, April 28.—A man named Verdier who was arrested here today by the French police declared that he was an anarchist and that he had come to Monaco for the purpose of killing President Fallieres of France, who is at present visiting here.

A revolver loaded with jacketed bullets was found on Verdier as well as a letter addressed to the prefect of the department of Alpes Maritimes, in which the man explained the motive for his contemplated act. The police believe Verdier is insane.

President Fallieres arrived here yesterday in an automobile from Nice and he and the members of his party were given a hearty welcome and entertained at lunch by the Prince of Monaco.

## MINERS AND OPERATORS

Expectation That Agreement Renewing Commission Award Will Be Signed Today

Seranton, Pa., April 28.—National President T. L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers, who was here presiding over the tri-district convention of the anthracite miners received word today that his brother, William T. Ohio, had died in Columbus, and immediately left here for that city.

In the absence of Mr. Lewis, E. F. McCullough, national vice president, presided over today's session of the convention, and moreover he will represent President Lewis at tomorrow's conference between operators and miners in Philadelphia.

The committee of seven will present the agreement which is expected to be signed tomorrow. It provides for a renewal of the strike commission award for another period of three years. It is expected the agreement will be signed, as it was three years ago, by the committee of operators, "on behalf of the anthracite operators," and by the committee of seven of the miners, "on behalf of the anthracite miners."

After a long discussion at the afternoon session of the principal section of the agreement, the renewal of the agreement was adopted unanimously. The entire agreement presented to the miners' convention was accepted without change, and the convention adjourned.

## A Hotbed of Tuberculosis.

Brest, April 28.—Rear Admiral Adam has declared to the special committee of the investigation that the disease which cost enormous sums of money is a hotbed of tuberculosis. Sergeant Schief, one of the medical officers, stated that the arsenal was a hotbed of tuberculosis, four hundred deaths resulting from this disease among the men attached to the arsenal annually.

# FORMER SULTAN IN SALONIKA

Abdul Hamid Is Sent For Safety  
To Stronghold of Young  
Turks' Party

Constantinople, April 28.—Abdul Hamid, the deposed Sultan of Turkey, left the capital last night for Salonika. He is accompanied by eleven women of his harem. He was conveyed quietly under cover of the darkness from the Imperial Palace at Yildiz to the railroad station in Stambul. Shortly after he was installed on board the train pulled out for the west.

## Russia Is Apprehensive.

St. Petersburg, April 28.—An official despatch from Constantinople announcing the deposition of Abdul Hamid II, and the accession to the throne of Mehmed V, was received at the Turkish embassy at midnight last night and was at once communicated to Foreign Minister Iswolsky, who in turn forwarded the message to Emperor Nicholas by special messenger early this morning.

It is understood that Russia's recognition of the new regime in Turkey will be made without delay, although no official steps in this direction yet have been taken. The Turkish embassy has been belaguered since early this morning. The Turkish embassy denies the report of the reactionary disorders at Erzeroum. According to its advices, the situation in Asia Minor is improving.

## The Charges Against Abdul

Constantinople, April 28.—The Fetwa, or official decision of the Shiekh-ul-Islam authorizing the deposition of Abdul Hamid has been made public. It embraces the questions put by the Parliament to the Shiekh-ul-Islam and his answer thereto. The text follows:

"What becomes of an Imam (the title of the Sultan of Turkey as head of the orthodox faith) who has destroyed certain holy writings; who has seized property in contravention of the Shari law, who has committed cruelties in ordering the assassination and imprisonment of exiles without any justification under the Shari laws; who has squandered the public money; who, having sworn to govern according to the Shari law, has violated his oath; who, by gifts of money has provoked internecine bloodshed, and civil war and who no longer is recognized in the provinces?"

To this the Shiekh-ul-Islam replied: "He must abdicate or be deposed."

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The report of the arrest of Prince Edlind, nephew of the Sultan, has caused unbounded astonishment here. Many of his friends in Paris are convinced that he is the victim of an attempt on the part of the former Sultan to effect a compromise looking to his own safety by a supreme denunciation.

## Was Disastrous Reign.

London, April 28.—Abdul Hamid's disastrous reign, which opened with Bulgarian atrocities, losses in a most dramatic fashion, with massacres of Armenians in Anatolia. His disappearance as Sultan appears to cause but few regrets here and abroad but the course of Turkish affairs will still be watched with great anxiety.

The Young Turks acted boldly and swiftly but, notwithstanding, with the sanction of the Shiekh-ul-Islam. Hence it may be inferred that they have not inflamed the country's religious susceptibilities. The orthodoxy of the Young Turks, however, is regarded with considerable suspicion by large sections of the strict Mohammedans and therefore it is too early to prophesy a quiet reign for Mehmed V.

According to the Morning Post's correspondence, ninety-five per cent. of the population of the city were in favor of the recent reactionary mutiny. It is regarded as certain that the Young Turks must for some time rule by a military dictatorship and the London newspaper editorially express apprehension that before a parliamentary regime can be safely established, serious racial and religious outbreaks may occur.

A despatch to the Times says that it was stated in the Chamber that Abdul Hamid would probably be sent to Saloniki. A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that the committee has seized all of the former Sultan's effects, including his jewels as well as his vast personal fortune.

A Belgrade despatch to the Telegraph says that, according to news from Macedonia, the ominous movement of the Albanians is increasing in the district around Monastir. The Albanians demand the enforcement of the Shari law.

## News at Washington.

Washington, D. C., April 28.—The Turkish ambassador, Hussin Kiazim Bey, today formally notified the state department of the succession to the throne of Mehmed Reschad Effendi as Sultan of Turkey under the title of Mehmed V.

## Fallieres Congratulates.

Monte Carlo, April 28.—President Fallieres, of France, has sent a telegram to Mehmed V. conveying his congratulations on his accession to the throne and his best wishes.

## Abdul Claims.

Abdul Hamid, when told of his deposition, said:

Constantinople, April 28.—Abdul Hamid, the deposed Sultan of Turkey, left the capital last night for Salonika. He is accompanied by eleven women of his harem. He was conveyed quietly under cover of the darkness from the Imperial Palace at Yildiz to the railroad station in Stambul. Shortly after he was installed on board the train pulled out for the west.

## Russia Is Apprehensive.

St. Petersburg, April 28.—An official despatch from Constantinople announcing the deposition of Abdul Hamid II, and the accession to the throne of Mehmed V, was received at the Turkish embassy at midnight last night and was at once communicated to Foreign Minister Iswolsky, who in turn forwarded the message to Emperor Nicholas by special messenger early this morning.

It is understood that Russia's recognition of the new regime in Turkey will be made without delay, although no official steps in this direction yet have been taken. The Turkish embassy has been belaguered since early this morning. The Turkish embassy denies the report of the reactionary disorders at Erzeroum. According to its advices, the situation in Asia Minor is improving.

## The Charges Against Abdul

Constantinople, April 28.—The Fetwa, or official decision of the Shiekh-ul-Islam authorizing the deposition of Abdul Hamid has been made public. It embraces the questions put by the Parliament to the Shiekh-ul-Islam and his answer thereto. The text follows:

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## SUSPECTED FRATRICIDE

Trial of Morris, Who Is Accused of Killing His Brother Near Milestone, Sask.

Milestone, Sask., April 28.—Sensational evidence was brought out at the trial of the man Morris, charged with the murder of his brother here today. A man named Kinrade, to whose daughter Morris was engaged, told of tracing the print of the horse's hoofs to within 40 yards of the scene of the murder, and other interesting facts were brought out.

The preliminary trial was commenced this morning before Magistrates Murphy and Bunn. The prosecution was in charge of H. Y. Macdonald, of the attorney-general's department at Regina, and C. E. D. Wood appeared for the defence. The prisoner seems thoroughly to realize the position in which he is placed, and although is maintaining a calm demeanor he is plainly somewhat worried.

Different witnesses today swore as to the time of the fire and the details in connection with the tragedy, most of which are already familiar.

Kinrade, a farmer, who was a neighbor of the Morris boys, was the most important witness of the morning. He swore that Morris came to his house on the evening of the tragedy about seven o'clock and remained until 11 o'clock. Morris was engaged to be married to a daughter of Kinrade's, which accounted for the length of his stay. At 11 o'clock Morris left the Kinrade home, saying he was going to Milestone. Kinrade told today of having followed the track of the horse Morris rode on that evening. He knew the tracks because the horse only had three shoes, and it was comparatively easy to follow them. Morris, traveled three miles towards Milestone and then switched off towards his own home. The tracks followed by Kinrade led to a point within 40 yards of the scene of the tragedy, and there became lost on the hard ground.

As the murder is supposed to have occurred about one o'clock, this was important testimony. The only means of fixing the time of the fire is by watches found in the ruins.

## Western Grain Growers Heard.

Ottawa, April 28.—Representatives of the Western Grain Growers' Association waited on the Minister of Trade and Commerce today and presented the petition of the Manitoba farmers in favor of government control of all terminal and transfer elevators between Fort William and the Atlantic Coast. A general discussion followed. It will be continued next Monday, when the Dominion Millers' Association will also be heard.

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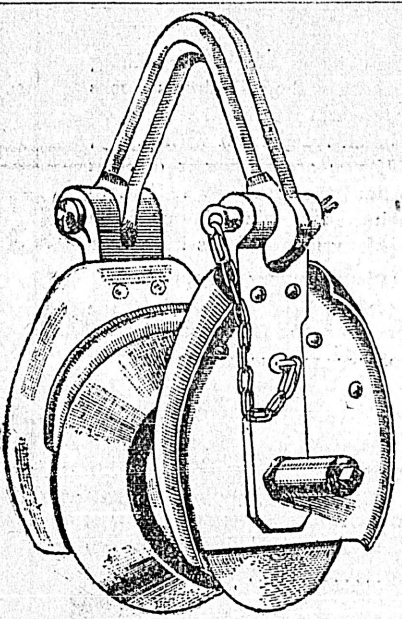


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## NEWS OF THE CITY

### A Fine Catch

A fine catch of trout is on view at the West End Grocery, caught by Willie Blake at Shawinigan lake.

### Board of Trade.

There will be a meeting of the council of the board of trade some day next week. The date hasn't yet been definitely decided. On this occasion business of vital importance will be introduced, there being several special committees at work on reports affecting the city.

### Parks Board to Meet

This afternoon the regular meeting of the parks board will be held at the city hall, when the plans for the season's work will be laid. Owing to the necessity of starting some of the work early a considerable amount has been already done, but more has been held up pending the passing of the civic estimates.

### More Permits Issued

Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to Walter Mould for a dwelling to be erected on Pine street to cost \$800; to H. Harkness for a small store on Pandora avenue to cost \$600; to D. Grant for additions to a hillside house to cost \$150, and to Robert Sexton for additions to a dwelling on Olive street to cost \$250.

### Oak Bay Meeting

The Oak Bay council will hold a meeting on Friday evening at the school house. The principal business on the tapis is the further consideration of the water by-law authorizing the raising of \$30,000 for the installation of a distribution system. The date on which these will be laid before the ratepayers for their endorsement or veto will be decided.

### From the Prairie.

The trend of travel from the prairie provinces to Victoria already has commenced. The hotel registers these days contain a larger number of visitors' names from Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary, Winnipeg and other such cities than has been the case for months. The real influx, however, has not yet begun. Those people of the midwest, who now are living here, predict that farmers will start west in earnest in a couple of months.

### Intermediate Meeting.

The intermediate of the Young Men's Christian Association held a meeting at the big Government street tent last evening for the purpose of discussing matters in connection with the building fund campaign. It was decided to attempt to collect \$200 before the close of the month. The young men will hold a session tonight at which plans for the work of the closing days of the effort will be considered. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

### Spring Ridge Improvements.

Tonight the special committee of Spring Ridge residents, which with a special committee of the city council has been considering the question of the improvement of that portion of Spring Ridge in the neighborhood of the much discussed gravel pits, will meet the streets, bridges and sewers committee and the city barrister and solicitor and consider the final aspects of the proposed scheme. The regular meeting of the streets committee, which is held on Friday night, has been arranged for tonight also.

### Ursus Kermodei

The white bear of Southeastern British Columbia, ursus kermodei, is a true white bear, according to the testimony of Dr. J. A. Allen, curator of mammals of the American Museum of Natural History. Now, for some time, the contention that the bear belonged to a new species, but Dr. Allen, who has more than a continental reputation, after examining the skulls of two specimens in addition to the skins, states that they differ materially from the black bear and constitute a new species.

### Will Select Heating System

It is expected that J. Peck, of New Westminster, who has been requested by the school board to come to Victoria and look over the plans of the various heating systems which have been submitted for the new Central Park school will arrive in the city in a day or two, when some definite action towards selecting a system will be taken. He will have with him a plan embodying the best features of the several plans now before the board. The installation of the heating system will call for an expenditure of from \$6,000 to \$7,000 in addition to the cost of the school, which is placed at \$84,000.

### Aid Injured Baseballer

At the concert to be given tonight at 8 o'clock on the Canton grounds in aid of an injured baseball player, the following programme will be rendered: Selection pianoforte, Mr. Ball; song, selected, Mr. Wright; song, comic, Mr. Rondeau; recitation, Mr. Cooney; song, selected, Mr. Ahlmes; song, comic, Mr. Melville; song, selected, Mr. Dobie; club swinging, Mr. Cohen; song, comic, Mr. Askey; presentation medals for five-mile race; bagpipe selection, Mr. McKenzon; song, comic, Mr. Barlow; duet, selected, Messrs. Dobie and Melville; recitation, Mr. Johnson; song, selected, Mr. Eden; song, comic, Mr. Frich; song, comic, Mr. Askey.

### To Entertain Pressmen

George Ham, C. P. R. representative, noted throughout the entire system for his geniality and camaraderie, will arrive here on Saturday next from the East, his mission this time being to meet the Australian and New Zealand delegates, who are coming from the Antipodes on their way to the Imperial press conference in London. Mr. Ham, in conjunction with R. Marpole, chief executive at Vancouver, will arrange to see after the requirements of the visiting journalists. A special car has already been set aside to convey them from Vancouver to Montreal, and it is understood that the railway company will give the visitors every opportunity of seeing Canada during the journey through on the way to London.



## THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 5 p. m., April 28, 1909.

### SYNOPSIS.

The high pressure area has filled up over the North Pacific states and the upper portion of the Canadian western provinces and low areas central in Utah overlie the middle west states and southern Alberta and Saskatchewan. No precipitation has occurred west of the Rockies and fair and cooler weather has been general. In the Prairie provinces it continues to be cold and snow has fallen at many points in the west. At Edmonton and three inches at Qu'Appelle.

### TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	45	58
Vancouver	35	58
New Westminster	34	58
Kamloops	40	52
Barkerville	18	33
Fort Simpson	24	31
Atlin	24	36
Dawson, Y. T.	33	40
Calgary, Alta.	33	44
Winnipeg, Man.	20	34
Portland, Ore.	44	56
San Francisco, Cal.	46	60

### FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Thursday:  
 Vancouver and vicinity: Moderate or fresh winds, generally fair with stationary or higher temperature.  
 Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, generally fair and not much change in temperature.

### WEDNESDAY.

Highest	58
Lowest	45
Mean	51
Rain, trace; sunshine, 3 hours, 51 minutes.	

### WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria meteorological office, 21st to 27th April, 1909:  
 Victoria.—Total amount of bright sunshine 39 hours 18 minutes; highest temperature 44 on 21st; lowest 34.9 on 21st; rain .37 inch.

New Westminster.—Highest temperature 58 on 21st; lowest 34 on 21st; rain .19 inch.

Vancouver.—Highest temperature 63 on 21st; lowest 33 on 21st; rain 1.05 inches; total amount of bright sunshine 46 hours 54 inches.

Kamloops.—Highest temperature 70 on 21st; lowest 34 on 21st; no precipitation.

Barkerville.—Highest temperature 46 on 21st; lowest 38 on 21st; 2nd, 23rd, 26th; precipitation .82 inch.

Fort Simpson.—Highest temperature 54 on 21st; lowest 29 on 21st; rain .56 inch.

Atlin.—Highest temperature 48 on 21st; lowest 16 on 25th; precipitation .24 inch.

Dawson.—Highest temperature 48 on 21st; lowest zero on 25th; no precipitation.

### Will Celebrate Anniversary.

The ladies of Court Maple Leaf, A. O. E. will celebrate their first anniversary on Friday evening by a social and dance to be given in the St. William Wallace hall. Miss Thain will be in attendance.

### University Women's Club.

The annual meeting of the University Women's Club of Victoria will be held at the Alexandra club rooms on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. The president's address will be given and election of officers held.

### Injunction Case Adjudged

Frank Higgins' application for an injunction in the case of Hudson vs. the Haddington Quarry company, etc., was adjudged yesterday until Tuesday. For the quarry company H. D. Twigg explained that Sir Herbert Tupper, who represents one of the defendants, had not had sufficient notice to enable him to get here. The matter came up in chambers.

### New Vancouver Law Firm

S. S. Taylor, K. C., of Nelson, is here on business, and is registered at the Empress. Taylor has a number of cases at the Nelson, Fernie, Revelstoke and other up country assizes, after the disposal of which he intends to take up the practice of law in Vancouver, where he has bought a fine home. He will be joined by J. A. Harvey, K. C., of Cranbrook, the new firm being styled Taylor & Harvey.

### "Booster" Campaign.

C. C. McGaffey, secretary of the Victoria branch of the Vancouver Island Development League, will take a trip up the E. and N. railway line, calling at the different cities and towns en route in the near future. His purpose is to get in close touch with the different associations affiliated with the local organization. He points out that this will enable him the better to prosecute the booster campaign in behalf of the island as a whole.

### Civilian Rifle Club.

Early last fall a number of the leading citizens of Victoria were duly enrolled in a military rifle club in accordance with the rules and regulations in such cases made and printed and after waiting now for some six months or more seem to be no nearer the desired goal than at the commencement of operations. It was expected that the militia department would have issued rifles to the members so that practice might have commenced last month.

### Real Estate Agent Wins

In the county court yesterday Judge Langman gave judgment in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Leary vs. Sharpe, a suit for a real estate commission. His honor said that he had found some difficulty in deciding between the two conflicting stories, and thought that the trouble, as was usual in such cases, arose from the owner quoting a net figure. If an owner would quote a figure at which he was willing to pay the ordinary commission, there would be far less litigation over real estate transactions.

### The Native Sons.

At the last meeting of the local post a vote of thanks was tendered Capt. Crawford of H. M. S. Shearwater for the use of the flags at the late ball at the Empress and which the lodge certainly appreciated. After the lodge business a five hundred continuous progressive tournament was held. The following were successful in the evening's play: E. T. Johnston, 3760; G.

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### Delegate Will Speak

Mr. Wesley N. Mitchell, who went as a delegate to represent Victoria Laymen's Missionary congress at Toronto, will speak at the regular meeting in the Centennial Methodist church tonight and will give an account of the proceedings of the congress.

### L' Alliance Francaise.

Edmund Rostrand the dramatist was the subject of discussion at the weekly gathering of L' Alliance Francaise last evening. Biographical notes, critical comments, readings and anecdotes concerning the great author of "L'Avion," "Cyrano de Bergerac" and other notable dramatic works were enjoyed by the members who were present. The meeting was held as usual in the Balmoral hotel.

### Sunday School Anniversary

Next Sunday the Sunday school anniversary services will be held in the Centennial Methodist church. Prof. Hetherington, of Columbia college, will preach the services of the day. In addition to the regular services, there will be a mass meeting in the afternoon for the children and parents, when Rev. T. E. Halling will deliver an address. There will be special singing and recitations by the children of the school.

## NEW WESTBOUND RAIL FREIGHT RATES

Increased Tariff Will Come Into Effect On June First Next

The new transcontinental westbound railway freight tariff will come into effect on June 1 next on merchandise originating in Eastern Canada and destined to the points on the Pacific coast.

Among the articles in which advances are quoted in the new tariff are: Butter, eggs and cheese, advanced from \$2 per 100 pounds to \$2.13; machinery, from \$1.18 to \$1.53; whiskey in glass from Walkerville, from \$1.55 to \$1.80, and whiskey in bulk from Eastern Canadian points advanced 5 cents per 100 pounds. Naval stores 5 cents more per hundred pounds to lay down in Victoria from Eastern Canada, and the cost of transporting fish netting will be jumped from \$1.10 to \$1.20. One reduction is to be noted and that is wire fencing, which is to be dropped from \$1.10 to 80 cents per 100. Among the merchandise on which no change in the tariff has been made are canned goods, furniture, woodenware, news print paper, paints and pianos.

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## CADETS SHOULD HAVE UNIFORM

High School Boys Carry Out Military Training In Mufti

To make the High School Cadet Corps of this city smart and military in appearance by the addition of a uniform to their present equipment is the laudable effort now being made by Principal S. J. Willis, who is being strongly backed up by city superintendents of schools, E. B. Paul, and the matter was brought to the attention of the city council by the latter, but that body is apparently disinclined to vote the \$800 or \$1,000 necessary, and any further effort that will be made rests in the hands of a committee from the board of school trustees composed of Messrs. Christie and McIntosh.

E. B. Paul, superintendent of city schools, when interviewed by the Colonist on the subject pointed out that the cadet corps throughout Canada were part of the armed strength of the nation, and as such should be provided with a suitable uniform. "When Earl Grey paid a visit here some years ago," said Mr. Paul, "he made a request, which was tantamount to a command, that the cadet corps of Victoria should meet him on the wharf on his arrival. I was principal of the High school at the time, and while the University school and Collegiate school cadet corps were in attendance, I could not allow my boys to appear in mufti, and as they had no uniform they could not attend. They appeared in the parade on the anniversary of Paardeberg Day, but they looked very 'ragged' in company with the other corps in uniform.

"The question of providing a uniform has been regarded as an urgent matter for some time past, and we are now anxious to bring it to a head. The minister of education, Dr. Young, when he opened the University school here, practically promised the scheme provincial aid. We will again approach him on the matter, but it seems to me that it is entirely a Dominion government subject, as the armed forces of Canada belong to the department of the minister of militia. Sir Frederick Borden is keenly interested in the cadet corps, and if this little matter of ours is brought to his attention I have great hopes that he will see his way to arranging for the uniform. I consider continued Superintendent Paul, "that the High school cadet corps, as far as drill and shooting goes, is as good as any company in the city."

Formerly the parents of some of the boys used to provide uniforms, but the great majority had to go in mufti, and the effect of drill was decidedly marred. There is little doubt that were the corps in uniform they would look altogether different, the military dress would promote an even greater spirit of esprit de corps among the lads, and they would be able to live better up to their part in the matter of Empire defence."

The High School Cadet Corps is composed of two companies, each 40 strong at present, but the total number, will according to Principal Willis, be increased to 100 next year. The corps drills twice a week under the charge of Master Gunner Mulcahy, of the Garrison. Every Saturday rifle practice is carried out, during the winter in the drill hall, and in the summer months at Clover Point. Morris tubes are used at the former place, and Lee Metfords at the latter, both weapons and ammunition being provided from the ordnance department at Esquimalt. The other two cadet corps in the city, namely the Collegiate and University schools, are similarly trained, each of these being 40 strong. The boys of the latter schools, however, are provided with uniforms as part of their kit when going to the schools, while this is impossible in the city institutions.

The uniform suggested for the High school boys is a dark blue serge, which it is stated would cost about \$7.50 per lad. In this connection it might be pointed out that a number of the cadet corps in Natal, South Africa, which have been in existence for a number of years past, wear knee-trousers and sweaters uniform, with a Glengarry cap, and this uniform is used day after day forming the regular attire of the youths.

## RECORD INFUX OF PEOPLE TO B. C.

C. P. R. Expects To Handle 200,000 Through Passengers This Summer

C. B. Foster, assistant general passenger agent for the C. P. R. at Vancouver, and W. H. Robertson, assistant general freight agent, arrived in the city yesterday in connection with business of the company. Preparations are already being made to handle the immense passenger traffic which is expected during the summer months, and it is stated that all former records of movements to British Columbia from the east will be broken.

The C. P. R. estimates that during the months of June, July, August and September upwards of 200,000 passengers will be handled coming through to the coast. Three transcontinental trains will be run, and the largest amount of rolling stock available will be employed. Two through trains from Montreal to Vancouver will arrive daily, while a third, to be known as the Twin City Express, will run through from St. Paul to Seattle. All three trains will commence running on a definite schedule early in June in order to handle the people on their way to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle.

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## MURDER AT RUPERT

Fight Between Brothers Results In Slaying of One of Them

Charged with the murder of his brother Luke during a drunken debauch in the course of which the two brothers quarrelled and knives were pulled, Mirka Dragoevick has been arrested at Prince Rupert and will be held for trial on the capital charge. Yesterday Superintendent of Provincial Police F. S. Hussey received a wire from Chief Constable W. H. Vickers, stationed at Prince Rupert, telling of the murder which occurred on Monday night, but no details of the crime were forthcoming. Constable Vickers stated that an inquest will be held and full particulars of the crime forwarded to the department here.

## PARENTS INVOKE THE AID OF LAW

Arrive At Wharf In Time To Stop Proposed Trip Of Wayward Daughters

Wayward daughters, beseeching and sometime threatening parents, bewildered immigration agents and a large crowd of the curious attracted thither by the untoward event happening on the wharf of the Alaska Steamship company, one afternoon this week created small excitement along that portion of the waterfront.

Just what was the cause of the trouble was difficult matter for the immigration officials to at first ascertain, but after quiet had been more or less restored it developed that six young women, four of them mere girls, had given their parents the slip and with joint determination were assembled at the wharf to take the Chippewa for Seattle. In some manner the parents got wind of the intention of the girls and arrived at the wharf just in time to advise the immigration authorities of the fact that the sextet had no authority from their parents to go abroad. Two of the girls, however, were over age and their own mistresses, and as they insisted on going across the Sound, the authorities were powerless to prevent them. But the remaining four were obviously too young to be allowed to rule their own destinies, and after a tangle had been unravelled they were taken charge by their respective parents and departed for home.

Hardly a week passes but young girls, some of them little more than in their teens, endeavor to cross to Seattle. They all claim that they have friends there to whom they are going on a visit or that they have secured positions, but the authorities tell stories of girls who run away from home and after arrival in the Sound cities drift into trouble.

## HORSEMEN STILL WANT A PARADE

Will Wait On Empire Day Celebration Committee At Tonight's Meeting

Local lovers of the horse still are agitating for an equine parade in connection with the Empire Day celebration.

There will be a meeting of the general committee in charge this evening at the drill hall and it is expected that a delegation will be in attendance to impress upon the committee the necessity of making the event indicated a feature of the festivities.

Why it was decided to cut the parade out this year is a question that is worrying the minds of those interested. They are of the opinion that in past years it proved the piece de resistance of the fête. For that reason they are wondering why the committee did not include it in their draft programme without any hesitation. However, as the omission has taken place it is intended to bring pressure to bear in the proper quarters to have what they consider a mistake rectified and the move is likely to be productive of some rather warm discussion, it being understood that there is some strong opposition to any alteration being made to the arrangements as they stand.

**The Pyrotechnic Display.**  
J. E. Smart, the secretary, says that one of the features of the celebration is the pyrotechnic displays. The first of these will take place on the evening of the 24th of May at the height of the grounds in the vicinity of Heywood avenue. Hitt Bros., formerly of this city, and now of Seattle, who have this in hand, have written announcing that the Alaska Steamship Co. have agreed to meet the cost of an illuminated stand advertising the Alaska-Yukon exposition. The second event of the kind will be held on the night of the 26th at the Gorge. This is being arranged by the B. C. Electric Railway company and they are making preparations to excel anything that they have brought off on the waters of the upper reaches of the arm for years. The details of their plans will be made public at a later date.

**Suppose She Had Been Out.**  
"What day was I born on, mother?" "Thursday, child."

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## PROBLEM BEFORE Y.M.C.A. WORKERS

Must Raise Thirty Thousand In Forty-Eight Hours—The Situation

Over \$30,000 to raise in less than forty-eight hours is the problem that confronts those who are laboring in behalf of the Y. M. C. A. \$100,000 building fund.

Although the committees worked hard yesterday the sum total of the results was something over \$2,000. They are taking the situation more seriously than heretofore. To secure such a large amount within two days in an accomplishment which presents difficulties which, even to the optimistic Y. M. C. A. supporters, appear almost insurmountable. Yet they are into the fight to the bitter end and the possibility of defeat isn't even mentioned.

"We've got to do it," remarked one of the citizen's committee yesterday.

## SUMMARY OF RESULTS

	Today.	Total
Citizens .....	\$1,837	\$57,157.50
Young Men .....	166	7,030.75
Intermediates .....	72	1,081.50
Boys .....	117.15	
Ladies' Auxil. ....	3,000.00	
Total .....	\$2,075	\$68,386.90

He asserted that there was too much at stake at the present juncture to allow the money collected to be passed up by default. With over sixty-eight thousand dollars in the "kettle" it was absurd to contemplate the possibility of the three-quarter mark not being attained by the end of the campaign. But it wasn't merely a matter of getting \$75,000. The point was to make the clock record the cash time of "twelve o'clock." Only under such circumstances would it be possible to honestly term the fight that has been in progress for the past several weeks a success.

The object was a laudable one. To secure adequate accommodation for an institution for the development of young manhood in its most complete form was something that would be of incalculable value to the city. The citizens, it was not thought, were going to allow the opportunity to slide by. True, the response lately hadn't been as generous as had been anticipated. But the lull was only momentary. On the last two days it was firmly believed that Victorians would rise to the occasion, swell the fund by a general contribution, and assure for the rising generations the means of obtaining training in all lines that would mean a stronger type of manhood, physically and mentally.

## Committees Reports

The contributions by committees are appended:

	Today.	Total.
D. R. Ker .....	100	\$ 8,860.00
A. Lee .....	150	6,230.00
C. A. Friend .....	110	5,590.00
A. McNeill .....	692	8,954.00
W. A. Gleason .....	125	3,407.00
D. W. Whittington .....	70	5,336.00
D. McIntosh .....	954.50	
Geo. Carter .....	270	3,020.50
R. B. McKicking .....	240	2,958.50
R. C. Horn .....	80	10,747.00
Total .....	\$1,837	\$57,157.50

## Young Men

	Today.	Total.
H. Shandley .....	25	\$ 25.00
B. Volo .....	24	1,764.00
W. J. Shortt .....	367.00	
W. Sweeney .....	240.00	
C. H. Mason .....	40	465.00
F. McGregor .....	20	708.75
E. Campbell .....	350.00	
J. Clearhue .....	10	405.00
J. Issler .....	72	728.00
W. Long .....	72	1,893.00
Total .....	\$166	\$7,030.75

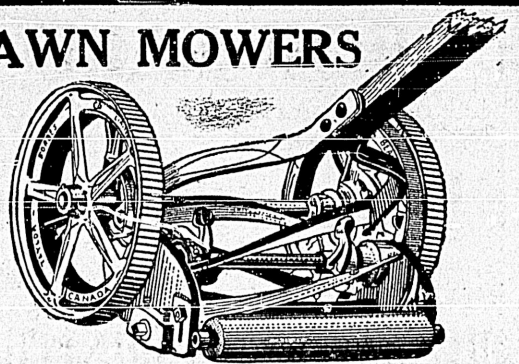
The new gifts reported by the citizens' committee:

A. W. Knight .....	5
I. B. Clarke .....	10
E. Pearson .....	20
Geo. N. Gowen .....	50
Hy. Moss .....	20
R. E. Butt .....	20
Friend .....	50
Philip Jeune .....	40
Henry B. Thompson .....	50
A. N. Ridgman .....	5
Dr. G. H. Haynes .....	15
W. B. Wellwood .....	15
Miss E. H. Jones .....	10
J. H. LeClercque .....	25
C. H. Topp .....	50
S. A. Spencer .....	100
Richard McBride .....	100
McB. Smith .....	25
James Flett .....	25
A. Friend .....	5
G. W. Wilkerson .....	50
R. Wolfenden .....	20
W. A. Dier .....	25
Friend .....	5
W. Stubington .....	50
A. S. Barton .....	25
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H. S. Griffith .....	300
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Capt. and Mrs. Grant .....	200
Yesterday's subscription from the intermediates are appended:	
W. Sallaway .....	5
W. J. McKeon, Jr. ....	5
K. E. Fraser .....	10
R. P. Howell .....	5
E. Jones .....	5
E. Collinge .....	2
Alfred Johnson .....	5
A. Friend .....	4
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E. McKeon .....	5
James Wilson .....	1
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**HERE AND THERE**

By most western readers Turkey is looked upon as a country whose inhabitants are not only bigoted Mohammedans but who cling tenaciously to the old customs. The story of the revolution led by the Young Turks comes with a shock of surprise to those who believed that freedom and knowledge were rare in what was looked upon as an Asiatic corner of Europe. Especially have we been reminded to learn that the women of Turkey have taken part in the revolutionary movement and that the seclusion of the harem was no longer observed by some of the ladies of higher rank.

An article in the current number of Harper's Bazar shows that a heaven has been at work for many years in Constantinople. The writer Mary Mills Patrick, who has gained the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, very pleasantly describes a visit to that city. She tells us that Galata is the centre of the commercial activity and that here the chipping lies. Pera is the aristocratic quarter. It is built on the heights. Here the admiralty, ministers of state, ambassadors, Europeans, rich Greeks and the Oriental nobility have their town houses. The scenes which have been enacted during the past few days among these beautiful homes were not anticipated when this writer watched the gay and fashionable crowd that passed along La Grande Rue, the principal street. But it is neither the city nor the politicians to which this visitor from the United States devotes her attention. At Scutari, across the Bosphorus there is an American college for girls, the only institution in the East, we are told, for the higher education of women. That a foreign school for women could have prospered in the suburbs of the city where Abdul Aziz lived and ruled shows that intolerance among the Moslems is not so great as many imagine. The college was founded by the New England States and is old enough to have graduated married and others at work in various spheres. There are twenty-six professors and instructors and they come from Cornell, Columbia, Chicago University, Radcliffe and Wellesley. The standard of scholarship is high and European universities accept its diplomas.

The list of the nationalities of the students reminds one of that given by the sacred writer who described the multitude that thronged the streets of Jerusalem on the day of Pentecost. "And here they come," says the writer, "Armenian, Greek, Bulgarian, Turkish, Austrian, German, Arabian, Moslem, Albanian, Spanish, Hebrew, Serbian and Russian Hebrew."

The rank of the students is as varied as their nationality.

"There are poor, struggling native teachers working for educational advancement with the aid of the money they have saved from years of toil in their native schools, and daughters of pashas and other high officials of the East, children of foreign ambassadors whose parents live on the slopes of Pera overlooking the Sweet Waters of Europe, and wide-eyed little peasant maids who never heard a word of English before, coming to the college's preparation school."

The seclusion of the harem, we are told, gives leisure for study, and education spreads fast among Turkish women. Although each young woman learns the language and literature of her own country the lectures are given in English.

These Oriental girls love literature, music and the drama though the course embraces biology and physics, English and mathematics, psychology and philosophy. In the situation of the college and the traditions of the past the students of art, archaeology and history have unsurpassed advantages. No attempt is made to disturb the faith of the students but "the moral influence is strong and direct."

"As for the girls, they are just real human college girls, with the same interest in work and play that characterizes college girls everywhere. Scattered over the grounds or strolling along the corridors, except for the babel of languages, we might easily imagine that these girls are students at Bryn Mawr or Radcliffe, and yet not quite."

Fashion, that great subverter, has been silently at work obliterating external differences, but certain racial characteristics remain unchanged. Nor would one desire to have it otherwise. Physically they are dark and slight, with the supple grace of a young birch. They are passionately fond of ornament, and are never without a rose in their hair or at their throat, if the flower can be obtained. Their gracious manners and dramatic instincts make them delightful companions."

Already the former students of the college are scattered far and wide. It is with a melancholy interest that we read that in the mountains of Asia Minor, one of the graduates, an Armenian, Manzara Kaprielian, is striving to teach her countrymen the ways of the world. She writes for the poorest of the poor and the greatest ignorance prevails. Only two of the women know how to read. Yet with this life the brave girl has gone, teaching the simple people how to work, as well as to read, and explain the mysteries which the youngest children understand here. Is she one who has fallen a victim to the fanatical hatred of the neighboring tribes?

A Greek graduate, from Mitylene, the island of Siphos, is head of the General Hospital for Children, in Athens. A number of graduates are married to members of the Bulgarian parliament and the most prominent of all, Madame Halideh Salik, has become the leader among progressive Mohammedans. She writes for the Turkish papers and will take a leading part in the reorganization of Turkish schools for girls.

It is intended to widen the sphere of the college by introducing an industrial school, a medical college and a department of archaeology. A new building will be erected on the European side of the strait, large enough to accommodate four or five hundred girls. For this splendid site comprising fifty acres have already been purchased. No one can foresee the influence of this great Western school among the women of the Near East.

The Cunard liner Ivernia will reach Boston today from Liverpool with 1,685 passengers.

**WOMAN'S WORK**

The annual meeting of Christ church cathedral branch of Woman's Auxiliary to Missions was held in the schoolroom of the parish yesterday afternoon. There was a good attendance of members, and His Lordship Bishop Perrin and Rev. J. Grundy were present. After the opening service, read by the bishop, the president expressed regret at the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Peters, who was detained by illness in her family, at the same time paying a high tribute to the faithful service Mrs. Peters had rendered to the society. Mrs. Toller then read the treasurer's report showing that \$302.14 had been received and \$275.65 expended, leaving a balance of \$46.49. This report was adopted, the satisfaction being expressed at the good showing.

On behalf of Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Toller read the secretary's report. The report was very encouraging and hopeful. The membership had not greatly increased, although several new members had taken the place of those who had left the parish. Among these, Mrs. Murray Thain was welcomed with special pleasure. As president of the Vancouver W. A. and life member of the general board her experience and help would be very valuable.

Allusion was made to the recent absence from the city of Bishop and Mrs. Perrin and the pleasure with which the society welcomed them back. The donation party had enabled the society to purchase material for their donation to Rock Bay, the Hay River Mission, Alaska Bay, Cumberland and Saanich. All the money pledged by the society or its members had been paid. During the year the first president, Miss Dupont, had been made a life member. The visit of Miss McKimney, of the Zenana Mission in India, and of Mrs. Hall from Albert Bay and the address delivered by them and the thanks spoken in grateful terms and acknowledgment was made of the profit derived from the study class - at Bishopsclere. The report of Mrs. Hiscok, Dorcas secretary, showed that many donations had been made to the mission hospitals and schools by the busy ladies.

Miss Wootton, the secretary of the girls' branch, made a short report showing that the reorganized society had twenty-three members, and had entered on their work with new zeal.

Miss Wollaston, the secretary of the junior branch, reported an enrollment of 60 members and an attendance of 50. Under the superintendence of Miss Ramsdale and with the assistance of Mrs. Elkington and Miss Lettice the little girls had held two sales. They had been able to assist the mission-ary, Mr. Edwards, of Islay, Saskatchewan, very materially, this they had been helped by the boy's society, who had under the direction of Mr. Cecil Berkeley provided the entertainment, and helped in many ways.

The Leaflet secretary, Mrs. Le Maistre, reported 50 subscribers.

On behalf of the society, Bishop Perrin, presented Mrs. Toller with the pashas and other high officials of the East, children of foreign ambassadors whose parents live on the slopes of Pera overlooking the Sweet Waters of Europe, and wide-eyed little peasant maids who never heard a word of English before, coming to the college's preparation school."

The election of officers resulted in the unanimous election of the president, Miss E. C. Moore, Secretary Miss Peters, Treasurer Mrs. Toller, Mrs. Luxton having resigned, Mrs. Elkington was elected vice-president. Leaflet Secretary Mrs. Le Maistre, Secretary Columbia Coast Secretary Mrs. Berkeley, Literature Secretary Mrs. Toller, Dorcas Secretary Mrs. Litchfield, with a committee consisting of Mrs. Hearn, Mrs. Rant, Mrs. Nivn and Mrs. Wheatley were elected. diocesan delegates, and Miss Ramsdale was reappointed superintendent of the junior branch.

Rev. J. Grundy being asked by the bishop to speak, expressed his great pleasure in the very orderly and prompt way in which the ladies had done their business. The work in which they were engaged was important. He was glad to see that they had been so successful, and that they felt that in such work the best that could be done was but little. Mr. Grundy spoke of the encouraging state of the Chinese missions in the city itself.

Bishop Perrin spoke of the great interest that was everywhere being taken in missions and alluded to the Pan Anglican Congress, the layman's mission conference, the conference of missionary workers in Edinburgh next year. He contrasted the attitude of the world towards missions now with that held some years ago, and spoke of the great benefit that Christianity itself would derive from the conversion of the nations of the East. The needs of the speaker hoped the ladies would persevere in their work, and that the greatest success would attend their labors. The meeting closed with the benediction.

An afternoon tea will be given on Saturday from 3 until 6 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. W. P. Sheldon, 1031 Carberry Gardens. This tea will be given in the interest of the Young Women's Christian association, and was planned for May 5, but owing to the fact that Mrs. Sheldon is leaving town next week the date has been changed to that given above.

**Benefits of Housework.**

I often think that if the girls who spend so much time, money and energy on physical culture would turn their attention to housework as a means of physical exercise they would derive a great deal of profit at a very small cost.

I heard a young girl the other day grumble because she could not afford an expensive course of physical culture.

"Why not try kitchen gymnastics?" I remarked. "Why not get interested in housework and try what dusting and sweeping and bedmaking will do for your health and good looks?" "How can housework improve the figure?" she asked incredulously.

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### LOCAL DOGS' CLEAN SWEEP

Victoria Canines Make Wonderful Showing At Tacoma Show

### CHIEF HONORS IN SPORTING CLASSES

The Seventeen Entries From This City Reap Fresh Honors Abroad

It was a veritable field day for Victoria's blue-blooded canines at the Tacoma dog show, which opened yesterday. A grand sweep was made by those local owners who sent their dogs across the Sound and the honors won bear eloquent testimony to the superiority of the local dogs over those from other points across the boundary. Field sporting dogs were the only ones sent from this city by local dog fanciers, pointers, English, Irish and Gordon setter and Irish setter, but one being entered from here. Of the seventeen field sporting dogs shipped to Tacoma by Victorians, all won a place, in fact, the English setters won one, two, three, from all comers, in all classes in which they were entered, besides carrying off all the specials. Of the following breeds, pointer, Gordon setter and Irish setter, but one entry was made in each case, the first honors were taken by the Victoria dog.

To J. Wolfenden's pointer bitch "Spot" went the premier honors, she easily capturing the premier place for the best pointer at the show. The awards in which the local canines carried off such sweeping honors were as follows:

English setters, puppy dogs—1, Arbutus Dockson; 2, Arbutus Rex; 3, Arbutus Rego, all owned by J. S. Hickford, Victoria West.

English setters, puppy bitches—1, Arbutus Bess, owned by J. S. Hickford; 2, Robe Montez, owned by F. W. Edwards; 3, Handsome Belle, owned by Robb & Elliott.

Best English setter bitch in show—1, Arbutus Swallow, owned by Tom Withers; Reserve winner, Robe Montez, owned by F. W. Edwards.

"Hallowood" beat heartily the premier place for the best English setter, dog or bitch, in the show. He is the property of T. W. Edwards. In the Gordon setter class, "Tramp," owned by Robb & Elliott, won first place and similar honors were captured by "Prince" in the Irish setter class, the property of H. R. Ellis.

There was rejoicing among the local dog fanciers last evening when the advices from Tacoma showed the ease with which the Victoria canine aristocrats walked off with the honors from the best which the leading cities of the other side had to show.

## TAFT TO WATCH THE BIG EVENT

President of United States Will Attend Regatta Between Yankees and Germans

Boston, April 28.—President Taft signified his intention of witnessing the international yacht races between American and German boats, to be sailed off Marblehead the first week in September. The President's newly selected summer home at Beverly is in sight of the Marblehead harbor, and only three miles from the starting point of the races. He will go out to the course in the Mayflower.

These races are between the boats of the Sonder class, a special class built under the German racing rules, and first introduced here in the German-American match of 1906. They are under the joint direction of the eastern yacht club on behalf of the American boats, entered, and the Kaiserlicher Yacht Club, of which the German Emperor is the head, on behalf of the German boats. Three boats on a side will compete. The grand prize this year given by the eastern club, is to be known as the President Taft Cup. The Germans desire the Crown Prince of Germany to witness this year's races. Should he come, the prize would probably sail in one of the yachts, as he is an enthusiastic yachtsman, and owns a Sonder class boat, in which he sails himself.

There are building in the United States fourteen boats to compete in the trials to be held in August, that will result in the selection of the American team of three boats of the match.

### FUNNY TRICK IN BASEBALL EXPLAINED

Johnny Kane tells the following story of a freak play:

"Talk about your close decisions, I certainly figured in one."

"I was a bat for Cincinnati and we had a man on first. It was up to me to sacrifice. We were playing Pittsburgh. Well, I laid a beauty down the third-base line. Tommy Leach saw in a moment that he couldn't handle it and that the only thing for him to do was to wait for that ball to roll foul."

"But the ball was a slow, hit and it wasn't a cinch that it would get over the foul line. In that instance I had advanced the runner and would be on first myself."

"What do you suppose 'Foxy Tommy' does?"

"He throws himself on the base line between the ball and the umpire. Then he blows. He actually and deliberately tries to blow that foul ball."

"Big Larry McLean was watching him, Larry goes to my rescue. He also blows. They had a blowing con-

Hot Springs, Arkansas, has been selected by the Boston Americans as a training grounds that it occupies for the purpose of the grounds already secured. A sign will be extended to ten years.

### HIS MAJESTY WINS

King Edward's Mini-hoop Victor In 2,000 Guineas at St. James Palace Three-Year-old

Newmarket, April 28.—The 2000 guinea stakes for three-year-olds and fillies foaled in 1904, was run here today and was won by King Edward's Mini-hoop. The Duke of Edinburgh's Mini-hoop was second and the Duke of Devonshire's Mini-hoop was third.

Bayardo was fourth. The betting was 4 to 1 on King Edward's Mini-hoop, 100 to 1 on Duke of Devonshire's Mini-hoop, and 8 to 1 on Bayardo.

The Wilbraham place for three-year-olds and fillies, was won by Vale, Puyling, second and Destination third.

The Heath place for three-year-olds and fillies, was won by Sea Queen, second and Mrs. Dot third.

The Brethby place for three-year-olds and fillies, was won by Sea Queen, second and Mrs. Dot third.

The distance six furlong handicap was won by Vale, Puyling, second and Destination third.

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### PASSENGER'S TRAIN WIRE

New York, April 28.—A communication was made here today, that it will be possible hereafter for passengers to communicate by wire with the train. The system is being tested on the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and it is expected that it will be in use by the time the summer season opens.

### BASEBALL NOTES

Fred Tenny is playing in the first game of the season for the Victoria team. He is picking up the game well, and is expected to play for some time.

Frank Chance, of the Chicago team, is expected to play for the Victoria team. He is a very good player, and is expected to play for some time.

### WRIGHT WINS

New York, April 28.—In addition to winning the national amateur billiard championship, H. A. Wright, of San Francisco, secured another prize today. He and Clarence Jackson, of Chicago, had tied for the single average with 15.14 each during the tournament, and in the play off this afternoon Wright won out by a score of 400 to 193.

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Tacoma	5	6	.455
Portland	4	7	.364
Aberdeen	3	7	.300

National League.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	5	3	.625
Chicago	6	4	.600
Boston	6	4	.600
Cincinnati	7	5	.583
Pittsburg	5	4	.556
New York	3	5	.375
Brooklyn	3	6	.333
St. Louis	4	9	.308

American League.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Detroit	8	4	.667
New York	8	3	.667
Philadelphia	5	4	.556
Chicago	6	5	.545
Boston	6	5	.545
St. Louis	4	7	.364
Cleveland	3	7	.300
Washington	2	7	.222

Pacific Coast League.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Portland	17	10	.630
San Francisco	17	11	.607
Los Angeles	14	13	.519
Sacramento	13	13	.500
Vernon	10	16	.385
Oakland	10	18	.357

### ANOTHER GAME CLUB PROPOSED

Protection of Trout and Grouse Considered Inadequate—Action Imperative

There is a move afoot among the sportsmen of Victoria having in view the organization of a league for the protection of the fish and game of Southern Vancouver Island.

The promoters of this scheme contend that the club, which has been in existence for the past few years, has not been doing all it might to prevent the extermination and to nurse the stock of fish and feathered game found in these parts. They claim that the old organization has been a dead letter for many months and they are anxious to bring another into being that will take a more active interest in the matters referred to.

What has brought this to a head is the current belief that the trout fishing in the vicinity of Victoria is seriously deteriorating. It is contended that the comparatively poor sport to be procured at Shawnigan lake and at other well-known resorts in this lo-

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## CHINESE USING NORWEGIAN TRAMPS

United States and Japan Points Of Contact Between In North Pacific

The Japanese liner Shinano Maru, of the N. Y. K., Capt. Kawara, reached port yesterday morning from the far east, bringing amongst her cargo the exhibits of the Japanese Naval Department now at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition to be held in Seattle in June next. They included a model of the cruiser Tsukuba, a model of the destroyer Hibiki, model figures of Japanese bluejackets and naval band, some samples of medicine cases in naval use, samples of manufactured steel, and 10 charts.

According to advices received by the Japanese liner, the Haldia, Halvard and Thorid, formerly used in the British Columbia coasting trade until the agitation of shipping men for the coastwise trade, have secured employment with three other Norwegian steamers, the Chidlar, Proteus and Prometheus in a new line established by Chinese between Swatow, Hongkong and Bangkok. The Thorid, after leaving for Bangkok, was scheduled to follow fortnightly. These steamers will be chartered presumably until the company possesses its own fleet, which, it is said, will be English built and manned by Englishmen. The company have secured a splendid site on the river front at Bangkok immediately after the Bangkok Dock Co., Ltd., the frontage at present being occupied by the buildings of a large temple.

Among the passengers brought by the Japanese steamers, which had an unusual voyage, were: Prof. T. Sakamoto, of the Japanese Higher Commercial school, bound to New York with T. Nakamichi, son of a director of the Mitsui Bishi Kaisha, who is going to enter college; R. Skinner, merchant from Hongkong for Bangkok; Rev. O. Christen, a Jewish missionary from Hunyien, in Shansi, who journeyed out by Chinese cart to Pootung to the railway, homebound to Sweden, accompanied by his wife, on furlough; Miss S. M. Bauerfeld, a missionary from Japan; Consul J. F. Velasco, a Spaniard who has been on consular duty in the Orient for his country and is bound to San Francisco; Y. Fujimura, a Japanese sea merchant from Hongkong, bound to Seattle to arrange the tea exhibits from Formosa at the exposition; W. C. G. Howard, of the Chinese Maritime Customs in North China, bound to Denver, accompanied by his wife; G. Moffatt and wife, F. P. Bronson and G. Gilbert.

Russians from Siberia There were 16 saloon, 13 intermediate and 55 steerage passengers, including a number of Russians from Siberia for Seattle. Ten passengers left the steamer here, Mr. Bocher, an engineer who has been employed at Hongkong, two second and seven steerage Japanese, of whom two only were newcomers.

A large shipment of silk was brought by the steamer, 1500 bales, valued at \$750,000. The total cargo amounted to 2003 tons, of which 275 tons was landed at the outer wharf. The cargo for the Yukon and Alaska consisted of rice, 500 bags of sugar, and the usual shipments of Japanese provisions, saki, soy, etc. There were 1601 packages of all kinds for this port.

An interesting article is published by the Nichi Nichi, received by the steamer, in the region makes contact between Japan and America and Russia. The Nichi Nichi says America is exploiting Alaska, Russia, Kamchatka, Okhotsk and Saghalien regions, and Japan the southern half of Saghalien. The more progress the enterprising in the region makes, the more keenly will our northern interests be affected. The region of Behring sea has also close relations with the United States, Alaska, which is noted for its sealing industry, has also recently made remarkable progress in the development of its resources. Russia's work of development in Kamchatka, together with America's successful enterprise in Alaska, will make this northern region a highly interesting one. It is a region which is destined to be a point of contact between Japan, America and Russia.

Russia's policy of development in the north is in some sense a reversal. Half a century ago Governor-General Muraviev declared that the harbor of Petropavlovsk was one of the most important in the world, and that Petropavlovsk itself would become the fortress of the eastern sea. With the later acquisition of the southern part of the Maritime Provinces and of the new port of Vladivostok, however, Russian energies were diverted from Kamchatka to the Sea of Japan.

Trouble in Korea The Japan Advertiser tells of a collision between Chinese and Japanese on the North Korean border. The Advertiser says the following despatch has been received at Tokyo: The Chinese troops stationed in Chientao have suddenly arrested a chief of the Koreans residing in that district, and have taken him to the Chinese military quarters, stating that he would be examined there. The local official at Chientao of the residency-general despatched gendarmes for the purpose of asking the Chinese military authorities the reason for his arrest and also to demand the surrender of the man. Not only did the Chinese officers refuse to give any answer, but resorted to high-handed measures, killing the Japanese gendarmes on the spot. According to the Japanese press, the Chinese troops were again despatched; hereupon the Chinese troops resorted to warlike measures. They attacked the Japanese and killed the majority. The Japanese cavalry, at Yonpung, who received this news, hastened to the scene where they exchanged fire with the Chinese troops, with the result that several combatants were killed and wounded on both sides.

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless  
Cape Lazo, 8 a. m.—Cloudy, calm; northwest wind; bar. 29.98; temp. 45; sea smooth; no shipping.

Point Grey, 8 a. m.—Part cloudy, calm; bar. 29.98; temp. 45; sea smooth; no shipping.  
Tatosh, 8 a. m.—Westerly wind; bar. 30.01; temp. 47; sea rough; out, liner Tosa Maru and steamer Buckman during night; in, schooner Gamble, 6.10 a. m., three-masted bark, and a three-masted schooner; Shinano Maru, 4.35 a. m.; out, steamer Shasta, 8 a. m.

Echena, 8 a. m.—Cloudy, westerly wind; bar. 29.98; temp. 45; sea moderate; no shipping.  
Estevan, 8 a. m.—Part cloudy, light northwest wind; bar. 30.05; temp. 55; sea smooth; no shipping.

Cape Lazo, noon—Cloudy; strong northwest winds; bar. 29.97; temp. 42; sea moderate; no shipping.

Point Grey, noon—Clear; strong northwest wind; bar. 29.98; temp. 53; sea smooth; no shipping.

Tatosh, noon—Clear, westerly wind; 17 miles an hour; bar. 30.05; temp. 50; sea rough; no shipping.

Echena, noon—Clear, moderate westerly wind; bar. 29.93; temp. 43; sea moderate; no shipping.

Estevan, noon—Clear, strong northwest wind; bar. 30.13; temp. 1.51; sea rough; no shipping.

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With reference to a naval base for the new Chinese Imperial Navy, which is in the name of reorganization, Prince Su, the presiding navy commissioner, has suggested that Chefoo harbor, should be made the base for the first naval squadron.

Advices were received from Hakodate of the late side in the sulphur mine at Kamadomari in the Hokkaido, and ten miners' huts were crushed, causing the loss of thirty lives. The pits in the mines were completely blocked. The mine is worked by Messrs. Howell & Co., of Hakodate.

## SUICIDED AFTER CRUISER WENT ASHORE

Three Austrian Bluejackets Reported To Have Taken Their Lives When Warship Stranded

Advices were received by the steamer Shinano Maru of the stranding of the Austrian cruiser Kaiserin Elizabeth near Yokohama and the drowning of five of her sailors, three of whom are said to have committed suicide, fearing they would be punished for responsibility in connection with the accident. A Shanghai paper says: It is stated that three of the men who were drowned actually committed suicide immediately after the accident. The reason given is that they had been working at the chain when the mishap occurred, and fear of being held responsible and the dire results of the court-martial which would follow impelled them to take this course. It is believed that the code in the Austrian navy is particularly severe, and this statement gives color to the report.

The warship was anchored with one anchor for the night and the fires were banked. During the night the weather became very rough and the big cruiser was pitching about and tugging at her chain which suddenly parted. The other anchor was let go which held during the night. The weather became more moderate and the anchor was hove up and the vessel headed for Ningpo. When the mouth of the Yangtze was reached, fog again began to settle down and the vessel was anchored with single anchor and the fires allowed to go down, a little steam being kept in one boiler. As the day wore on, the weather began to get bad and soon a nasty sea was running which caused the cruiser to toss about, tugging at her chain, which suddenly parted, leaving the vessel practically helpless for the time being. Steam was hurriedly got up, while a boat containing ten or twelve men was lowered in an effort to drag for the lost chain and anchor. As the sea was very rough, the boat was tossed about in an egg shell and was finally driven against the ship's side and capsized, leaving all the men struggling in the water. Five of the unfortunate sailors were washed away and drowned while the remainder, after a severe struggle and great difficulty, were rescued and drawn on board the ship. In the meantime the vessel was drifting about at the mercy of the wind and sea, and at the last minute signal guns were fired for assistance, over thirty guns being fired before the signals were made out, when the Japanese cruiser Otowa steamed to the cruiser. Captain Herzberg, seeing that both his anchors were gone and realizing the danger his ship and crew were in, decided to beach his vessel. The Otowa drove her ashore on the mud, when she was secured. The vessel remained in this position until the following day, when the weather having moderated, she was, with the assistance of the Otowa and others, soon floated into deep water and having full steam up, she headed back for Shanghai.

Loads For Iquique After a stay of six months in the port, the American barkentine Alta, Captain McGeel, has been chartered to load lumber at Hastings mill for the west coast. Negotiations have been in progress for the last few days, and were completed yesterday whereupon the vessel will take cargo to Iquique.

Anticipating a large rush of travel on Puget Sound this summer the director of Customs has issued a notification that overcrowding will not be permitted and that the rules for passenger steamers must be rigidly obeyed.

## PESCAWHA HAS A LARGE CATCH

Letter From Captain Balcom Says He Took 438 Skins—Some Japanese Catches

## TUG QUEEN ASHORE AT RAGGED ISLAND

When Tug Owen Arrived For Repairs Another of Company's Tugs Went Aground

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The damage to the tug Owen is estimated at about \$2,000. The injuries were surveyed by Lloyd's surveyor, Mr. T. G. Mitchell, and specifications are being made for the necessary work.

The iron bark Adolf Tidemand has been posted in Lloyd's as "missing." The vessel left West Hartlepool on November 14, 1908, bound for Genoa, but since the hour of her sailing no news has been received of her and it is feared she has been lost with all hands. The Adolf Tidemand was of 1,202 tons gross register, built at Glasgow in 1862, and owned by Mr. J. E. Johansson.

News was received from Astoria yesterday to the effect that one of the engines going out the jetty at the mouth of the Columbia struck something and was thrown into the ocean. The fireman jumped but the engine was carried into the flood but swam safely ashore.

The steamer Gymeric of the Weir line passed last night and is expected in port this morning from Manila and the far east. The steamer has 400 tons of general freight for this port.

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Charles M. Daniels Is Engaged to Mary Wealthy Mrs. Wagner

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## WRECK OF ANDELANA HAS DISAPPEARED

Survey Steamer Reports That Hulk Long Submerged Has Slipped Away

The wreck of the bark Andelana which turned turtle in Tacoma harbor ten years ago has disappeared. This was the discovery of the United States survey steamer Gedney. The Gedney has been engaged in making a survey of Tacoma harbor and found that the wreck of the bark has gone.

The Andelana, a big four-masted bark, went to the bottom off the Puget Sound in January, 1899, and the sixteen men aboard lost their lives. The vessel had discharged ballast and was riding at anchor with ballast logs alongside. The next morning she was found to have shifted to a grain warehouse to load wheat. In the morning the ship had disappeared and investigation showed that the chains holding the logs on one side had carried away and in a gust of wind the vessel turned turtle.

On the charts the wreck was properly marked, although the vessel was lying in about thirty fathoms. Five years ago a diver went to the bottom and reported that the ship was being gradually covered with silt brought down by the river. When Capt. Derickson and his men surveyed Tacoma harbor they searched carefully for the wreck but could find no trace of it. Capt. Derickson is of the opinion that the hulk has slipped down the shelving bank and dropped into very deep water. The shoalest water found in this vicinity was twenty-seven fathoms. The report of the survey officers

is that Commencement bay shows very little change since the previous survey a number of years previous.

## ADATO WRECK HAS BEEN BROKEN UP

Heavy Storms Off Japanese Coast Sweep Bank Limer From the Rocks At Oshima

The wreck of the steamer Adato of the Bank line which drove ashore at Oshima on January 19 and was sold to a Yokohama salvage company as she lay for \$3000, this company being engaged in salvaging her cargo, has broken up, according to advices received by the steamer Shinano Maru yesterday. The wreck of the Adato slipped from the shoring, took where she struck and broke in two amidships. Heavy storms have been raging on the Japanese coast during the early part of April and on April 2 the wreck broke away.

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. W. Winfield Gardiner will be one of Saturday hostesses.

Mrs. J. Elford, Stadacona avenue, will receive this afternoon.

Mrs. A. S. Davis went to Prince Rupert last night on the Princess May.

G. R. Hughes went over to Vancouver last evening on the Charming.

J. A. Rome and his wife arrived in the city yesterday from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hemming are in town from Vancouver.

Mr. E. T. Thrift, of Hazelmore, is in town for a few days.

Mr. S. Fred Ritchie leaves by the afternoon boat for Prince Rupert.

Mr. Mason, of "The Oak," Belleville street, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. H. G. Ashby, of Kamloops, is visiting in town for a few days.

Mr. W. Ricardo left for the north last night.

Mr. Burchell, from Thetis Island, is down in the city.

Mr. White Burch, of Saanich, is in town.

Miss Dorothy Day has returned from a four months' trip to the East.

Capt. Rothwell, of Thetis Island, has been down in Victoria for a few days.

George Every Clayton, of Burraby Lake, is in the city for a few days.

Wm. Winkelman, of Memphis, is in the city. He is at the King Edward.

Miss Hazel Morrison has returned the city after spending a few days in Seattle.

Mrs. Walker, of Saanich, was among the arrivals by yesterday morning's V. & S. train.

Miss Nellie Newcombe, who has been up the line for a few days, has returned to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Halseot B. Matheson from New York, are spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Yarwood, from Nanaimo, are down in the capital on a short visit.

Mrs. Slater and Miss Langley are spending a few days in Seattle this week.

The Misses Sissie and Eva Ettie returned last week from a visit to the Okanagan.

Mrs. Fred Jones will entertain the Friday Bridge Club tomorrow at her residence on Rockland avenue.

Ald. H. H. Bishop went over to Vancouver last night on the Princess Charming on a business trip.

A. H. Mitchell, Lloyds' surveyor, went over to Vancouver last night on a business trip.

Mrs. J. W. Trett, of Rat Portage, has returned in company with her father, Mr. W. M. Wilson, from a visit to Portland.

Harry Mews leaves in a day or two on an extended trip to the Old Country. He will travel via the C. P. R. and the Empress of Ireland.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Jewell left yesterday for Vancouver, where they will board the Princess May on a trip to Skagway.

Miss Jessie Howard, who has been visiting here with friends, left yesterday via the North Coast Limited for her home in Butte, Montana.

Mrs. Walter S. Crowell of Berkeley, Cal., a daughter of Mrs. Harry Helcken of this city, is on a visit here and is staying at the Empress hotel.

J. A. Macdonald, M.P.P., leader of the opposition in the local house, returned to the city today after a brief visit to Vancouver.

T. L. Cotter of Cork, Ireland, who is engaged on a pleasure tour, is registered at the Empress, where he arrived yesterday.

Mr. A. R. Spalding, from South Portland, came in on last evening's train, and is staying with Col. and Mrs. A. W. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hurd, of Fernie, who have been on a short visit to the capital, returned last night to their home.

Mr. W. R. Ross, M. P. P., from Fernie, who has been spending a few days in town, returned yesterday to his home.

Capt. Clive Phillips Wolley and Mrs. Wolley were among the outgoing passengers by the V. & S. railway yesterday.

Mr. Shearing, of Keatings, left for home, after spending a few days in the city, by yesterday afternoon's V. & S. train.

F. Turgoose came in from Saanich by the V. & S. railway yesterday morning. He returned in the afternoon.

W. P. Adams and Mrs. Adams, of Williams, Minn., are making a short sojourn in the city. They are registered at the King Edward hotel.

L. Harris, who has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Harris, has returned to Seattle.

Miss Lottie Grimm left this morning for San Francisco, where it is her intention to spend several months visiting relatives.

Austin D. Cooper, of Crofton, was among yesterday's arrivals by the noon E. & N. train. While in the city he is staying at the King Edward hotel.

T. D. Baker and Mrs. Baker, of Seattle, Wash., came over from the Sound yesterday and is among those making their headquarters at the King Edward.

Major Bennet and Captain Macdonald will be hosts at a dance at Work Point barracks this evening, given in honor of Mr. Haggerty, who is shortly leaving for Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gordon, Miss Ermenstrude Gordon and Mr. A. T. Gordon, from Toronto, have been touring the coast, and intend spending the next few days in Victoria.

Hon. Edgar Dewdney has returned to the city after an extended trip to the Old Country. On his way home he made a stop-over at Ottawa to renew old acquaintances.

Miss Annie Gunn leaves today via the North Coast Limited for New York, whence she will sail on the Anchor line steamship Columbia on a three months' trip to Glasgow.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burchell and A. W. Barrington Foote, of Thetis Island, are among the visitors to the city. They are registered at the Empress.

Among the passengers on the Charming last night for Vancouver were Miss Roydes, W. G. Breeze, A. Frohister, J. L. Lawson, W. G. Craig, J. Benson, D. A. Hopper.

Mrs. W. N. Carmichael and daughter have arrived from Whitehorse and will spend the summer at Hillcrest with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jennings.

Miss Dorothy Royds, who has been spending several weeks with her cousin, Miss Wollaston of Oak Bay avenue, returned to her home in Chilliwack, last night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Nordham, accompanied by their two daughters, left last night via the C. P. R. for Quebec, whence they will sail on the Empress of Ireland on May 7 on an extended trip to the Old Country.

Charles L. de Rouville, the new manager of the Vancouver hotel, is at

## FORTY YEARS AGO

British Colonist, April 29, 1869.

The steamer Enterprise, Captain Swanson, arrived from New Westminster at 4.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Among her passengers were Messrs. J. Trutch, A. S. Bates, H. Franklin, and Capt. Irving. The weather on the Lower Fraser is reported fine and the farms in excellent condition. A public meeting was convened by Mayor Holbrook on Monday evening last, when a committee was appointed to make arrangements for the proper observation of the Queen's Birthday. It was decided to apply to His Excellency, the Governor, for a portion of the money devoted for celebration purposes. The friends of Mr. W. H. Sutton will be glad to learn that his health is improving.

Jon. Dr. Davie, we are glad to know, has succeeded in enlisting the sympathies of the executive in the case of the officers and crew of the shipwrecked schooner Alpha. The master of that ill-fated schooner says he can identify the property stolen from him. If this be so he ought to be taken up by the Sparrowhawk and employed to point out the wretches, who might do the "state some service" on the public roads with considerable advantage to themselves and the city.

Some Indian women, dressed in silks and satins and garnished with various colored ribbons and cheap jewelry, appeared before the police magistrate yesterday to prosecute one Peter McCormack, who was charged with supplying them with beer. The women made out a strong case against Peter, who, like a wise man, pleaded a pressing engagement at the "railroad terminus" and sailed away in a sloop before the court opened.

Three steamers left this port yesterday morning. The Gussie Telfer for Portland, the Wilson G. Hunt and the Eliza Anderson for Olympia and way Sound ports.

present in the city, staying at the Empress. Mr. de Rouville, before coming out to the coast, was manager of the Chateau Frontenac at Quebec.

Rev. Dr. Scott Whittier, who has lately returned from Trinidad, West Indies, and has been spending the winter in California, renewing old acquaintances, especially in Oakland where he was pastor for two years, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. D. Whittier, of 1213 Langley street.

Mrs. B. S. Heisterman entertained at a very smart tea at her residence in Pemberton road yesterday afternoon. The drawing-room was very beautifully decorated with white lilies, white



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Peters, D. O. C., was married in St. Paul's Cathedral today to Mr. Francis Leys Coulson, son of Mr. Duncan Coulson, of Toronto. The ceremony was conducted by Canon Dann in the presence of a large number of guests from Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa and other points. The bride was given away by her father, and was assisted by Mrs. Harrison Walker, of Walkerville, as matron of honor, her sister, Miss Gladys Peters, as maid of honor, and the following bridesmaids: Misses Flora McDonald, of Toronto, Dorothy Langford, of Winnipeg, May Puddicombe, London, and Madge Morris, Ottawa. The groom's brother, Mr. Duncan Coulson, was groomsmen. The ushers were Messrs. Jack Coulson, of Toronto, Hugh Peters, of Kingston, Louis McMurray, of Toronto, W. Courtwright, of Toronto, and Dr. Archie Becker, of London. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Coulson were tendered a reception by the officers of Wolseley barracks, after which they left for New York. On their return they will reside in Toronto.

## GUN CLUB TO SHOOT FOR TROPHY

At a meeting of the Victoria Gun club held in Weller Brothers' office it was decided to hold the first shoot for the Introduction Handicap cup offered by the Victoria Sporting Goods company on May 9.

The trophy will be made and presented by the firm as soon as possible and the marksman making the highest average in three successive shoots will be allowed to carry it away. The final two contests will probably be held on the two Sundays following May 9.

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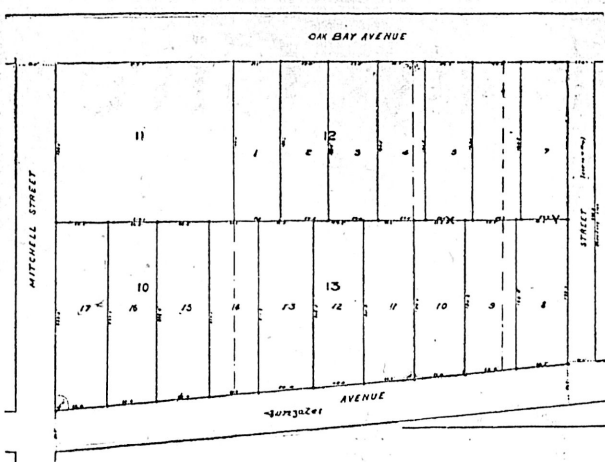
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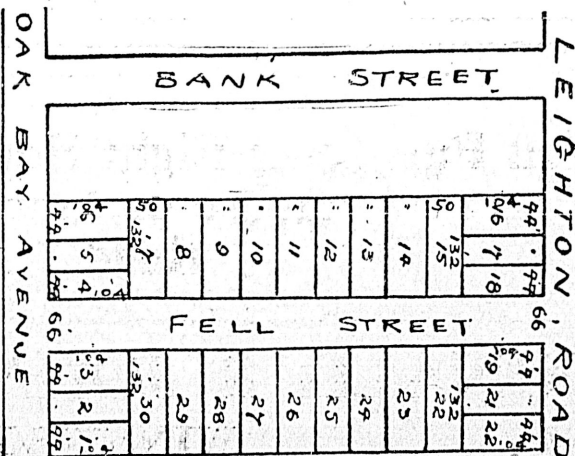
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# HERD PARTRIDGES ARE AT HOME

Hungarian Birds Consider British Columbia Land of Milk and Honey

Hungarian partridges are destined to become one of the recognized British Columbia varieties of feathered game. This statement is made on the authority of experts who have been watching, with marked attention, the results of the efforts which have been put forth, during the past couple of years, to make the strange bird feel perfectly at home in the Northwest. That the enterprise thus displayed is going to be just as successful as the most sanguine dared to expect is the unanimous opinion. The sprightly native of Hungary, having been released on the Pacific coast, has found the climate, the surroundings, the feed obtainable at different seasons, and all the conditions so favorable that he is flourishing. He has decided that his newly adopted home is a "land of milk and honey," in the strictest sense of that somewhat hackneyed term. As a result he is multiplying rapidly and making glad the hearts of hunters by his obvious pleasure in his altered circumstances.

The move of introducing these partridges in the Northwest was made almost simultaneously in Washington and in British Columbia. On both sides of the 49th parallel the outcome has been most satisfactory. The initiators of the venture in this province were Dr. Todd and his brother, A. E. Todd, of Victoria. They imported and released 167 birds last year. This spring they augmented that number by 277, so that there now are a total of 444 on Southern Vancouver Island, without figuring on the possible broods of those liberated in 1908. On the lower mainland of British Columbia, F. M. Chaldecott and L. G. Abbott, two of Vancouver's most enthusiastic promoters of the chase, took the newcomers in hand and distributed them among the most favorable districts.

Now that the birds have obtained a firm hold in the West—and present indications appear to settle that point—the aforementioned gentlemen are desirous of securing from the provincial government an assurance that the birds will be protected from the depredations of irresponsible "pot hunters." With that idea in mind they forwarded to the proper department the appended communication.

"Dear Sir:—In reference to importations of Hungarian partridges into British Columbia by the undersigned: "We having introduced Hungarian partridges into this country, and it being our intention to bring further importations of these birds in the near future, and in order to avoid what we may consider excessive shooting, when the hunting of these birds is legalized, beg to request that your department so far as possible undertake that it will be all in its power to obtain from the government the following assurance: "1. That the open season for partridges (in any locality) will never commence earlier than the 21st of September, nor extend later than 30th November. "2. That a daily bag limit will be made of not over ten partridges per day. "3. That a season bag limit will be made of not over 75 partridges. "4. That the sale of partridges will not be permitted. "We trust that your department will favorably consider our suggestions, and that you will write us at an early date with the assurance that the government will, so far as it is possible, agree to the above; subject of course to such other regulations as your department may see fit to enact. "Of course we realize that no assurance which the government may see fit to give now will determine the policy of future governments, but we think you will agree that, we are entitled to at least an assurance or expression of opinion that the present government intend to pass legislation to prevent the passing of legislation, which will conflict with the above suggestions. "Yours faithfully, "J. L. G. ABBOTT, "F. M. CHALDECOTT, "A. E. TODD."

**Favorable Reply**  
A. Bryan Williams, the provincial game warden, took the matter up with the minister, and received a favorable reply as follows: "A. Bryan Williams, "Provincial Game Warden: "Sir,—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 31st ult., enclosing copy of letter from Mr. Abbott and others re Hungarian partridges. It seems to me that it would be safe to give them the assurance they ask for, subject to such changes as may be deemed advisable when it is decided to allow the shooting of these birds. It would certainly be only right and proper to give every consideration to the view of the gentlemen who have been good enough to import these birds, when the time comes for allowing them to be shot. "J. J. FULTON, "Chief Commissioner of Lands."

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## AMUSEMENTS

**Victoria Stock Company.**  
Cable advices from Rome announce that the Pope is vigorously opposing women going into politics. The Pope doubtless agrees with Sir Richard Kato, K.C., who gives the following advice to his suffragette ward, Miss Elaine Shimpson in the last act of the play "The Case of the Rebellious Susan." Miss Shimpson announces to her guardian "that there is an immense future for woman" and he tells her that there is an immense future for women in the following speech: "At her own fireside. There is an immense future for women as wives and mothers, and a very limited future for them in any other capacity. While you ladies sit without passions—or with distorted and defeated passions—are raving and trumpeting all over the country, that wise, prim old grandmother of us all, Dame Nature, is simply laughing up her sleeve and snapping her fingers at you and your new epoch and your movements. Go home! Be sure that old Dame Nature will choose her own darlings to carry on her own schemes. Go home! Nature's darling woman is a stay-at-home woman, a woman who wants to be a good wife and a good mother, and cares very little for anything else. Go home! and don't worry the world any longer about this tiresome sexual business, for, take my word, it was settled once for all in the Garden of Eden, and there's no more to be said about it. Go home! Go home! Go home!"

**Amateur Contest at the Victoria**  
Two nights only remain in the final amateur contest at the Victoria theatre this week, tonight and tomorrow. As a special prize to commemorate the wind up of a very successful season, the management will give an expensive gold watch, either lady's or gentleman's, which is now on view at Mr. Wenger's Jewellery store, on Government street, to the winner. The pictures this week are exceptionally good, the programme being an extra long one.

**The New Grand**  
The New Grand is drawing big business, as usual, with a strong show. The features are Harry LeClaire, the famous female impersonator; Cowboy Williams, sensational juggler; The Variety troupe, singing quartette; The Waynes, comedy duo; Dick Tracy, in songs and stories; Thos. J. Price, in illustrated song; three good moving pictures and a new overture by the orchestra.

**Pantages Theatre**  
It is a pretty little romance, "A Day With a Knight," dealing with those romantic days in the early history of California and Mr. C. O. Carter, in a hilarious way, plays the part that up to the last supreme climax and the very end of the drama, the audience is kept guessing as to which is the hero, and which is the bandit for whom the big reward is offered. Miss Thornton and Messrs. Thorn and Sutherland are admirably fitted to their respective parts, and the result is an artistic treat. Ella Garrison & Co. are pleasing in their nonsensical travesty, Thomas and Payne are excellent entertainers, while Lin Woods, ventriloquist, and the picture ballad and funny music pictures complete a show replete with amusing features.

**STEEL PRICES UP**  
Other Manufacturers Follow Example of Carnegie Company in Making Advance

Pittsburg, April 28.—Following the announcement yesterday by the Carnegie Steel Co. of an increase in prices of their product, the other steel manufacturers are also increasing prices. It is stated that the reduction made recently resulted in so many orders that many of the manufacturers are crowded with work, and the advance has been the natural result of the growing demand. The Jones & Laughlin Steel Company, the largest of the independent steel makers, has followed the Carnegie Steel Co. and increased prices about a dollar a ton. Some of the manufacturers claim to have been selling below the actual cost of production, and are glad to see the increase.

**Miner Killed**  
Dinorwic, Ont., April 28.—Jalot Niman, a Swede, aged 27, was killed while loading a hole four hundred feet down in the Laurentian mine at Gold Rock. He leaves a wife and four children.

**Death of Lady Leigh.**  
London, April 28.—Lady Leigh, wife of Francis Dudley Leigh, third Baron Leigh, died this afternoon at Stoneleigh Abbey, Kenilworth, of pneumonia after an illness of only a few days. Before her marriage she was Frances Helen Beckwith, daughter of H. M. Beckwith, of New York.

**New York Central Directors**  
New York, April 28.—At a meeting today of the board of directors of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company, President W. C. Brown and all the other officials of the company were re-elected for the ensuing year. In addition, the board revived an office which of recent years has been unfilled, that of assistant secretary, to which E. F. Stephenson was elected. Mr. Stephenson has been for a long time past an assistant to Secretary Pardee, of the company, in the secretary's office.

# PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT ISLANDS ELECTORAL DISTRICT

TAKE NOTICE that objections have been filed with me against the following persons named being retained on the List of Voters for the above district on the grounds set forth.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that I will, on Monday, the third day of May, 1909, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon at Ganges Harbour, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining the said objections.

Unless the person objected to, or some other Provincial voter on his behalf, appears at the said Court and satisfies me that the said objection is not well founded, I shall strike the name of such person off the said list.

Dated this 8th day of April, 1909.

FRANK G. NORRIS, Registrar of Voters.

Christian Name and Surname of Voter.	Residence.	Profession, Trade or Calling.	Nature of Objection.
ALLEN, ROBERT WHITE	Mallamott Farm, North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
ALLBERRY, HENRY PERCY	Sidney Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
ARTHUR, CLARENCE	Sidney	Marine Engineer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
ASHBY, JOHN B.	North Salt Spring Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BENNETT, FREDERICK	Mayno Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BOWYER, FREDERICK	Thetis Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BOWEN, CHARLES QUINTON	North Saanich	Hotel Keeper	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BRIEN, DANIEL	Sidney	Deckhand	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CARTER, RALPH R.	Sidney	Baker	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CARPENTER, JOHN	South Salt Spring Island	Carpenter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CHAMBERLAIN, CHAS. HENRY	Sidney	Cook	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CEPE, JOSEPH	Sidney	Fisherman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CLARK, SAMUEL	Pender Island	Carpenter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CONNORON, THOMAS	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
COOKE, FRED.	Sidney	Bartender	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CONERY, SOCRATES TOBIAS	South Salt Spring Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
COTTELL, CHARLES	Sidney	Deckhand	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CUNDELL, CHRISTOPHER WM.	South Salt Spring Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
DAWSON, HENRY	Sidney	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
DUNKLE, GUS THEOPHILUS	Kuper Island	Clergyman	.....Dead.
ELDER, ERNEST JAMES	Sidney	Fireman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
ELLIOTT, GEORGE	Portland Island	Fisherman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
EVANS, WILLIAM EDWARD	Sidney	Walter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
FORRESTER, DAVID G.	Sidney Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
FREEMAN, GEORGE ARTHUR	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
FRZE, JOHN	Sidney Island	Laborer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
FRANKLIN, FLORIAN HERSCHEL	Ganges, Salt Spring Island	Stenographer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
GARDNER, GEORGE	Ganges Harbor	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
GARDNER, ALFRED	South Salt Spring Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
GEORGESON, JOHN	Gallano Island	Light House Keeper	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
GRUBBE, ROBERT	Gallano Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
GRAHAM, JOHN	Salt Spring Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HARRISON, ERNEST LEOPOLD	Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island	Seaman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
GAUNT, CYRIL	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HARRIS, JAMES	Fulford Harbour	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HAMILTON, ANDREW VICTOR	Pier Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HARDIE, ALEXANDER	Sidney	Edgerman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HARRISON, WILLIAM EDWARD	Salt Spring Island, Central Settlement	Carpenter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HERRON, THOMAS E.	Fulford Harbor	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HOWARD, HENRY NEWTON	Sidney	Purser	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HOWARD, GEORGE H.	South Salt Spring Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
IRWIN, JOSEPH T.	Salt Spring Island	Painter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
IRWIN, EARL BRUCE	Sidney	Logger	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
JONES, WILLIAM WENT EATON	Sidney	Steamboatman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
JOHNSON, HENRY	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
KARLBERG, AUGUST	Sidney Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
KELLY, HENRY	Salt Spring Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
KELLY, HENRY BENNETT	Salt Spring Island	Rancher	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
KNOWLES, ROBERT EARLE	Meadlands Farm, North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
KNIGHT, WILLIAM FRANCIS	Sidney	Butter-maker	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
LANNAN, WILLIAM	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
LIDGATE, THOMAS RICHARD	Sidney	Seaman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MANLEY, HARRY	Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MARRIOTT, WALTER	South Pender Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MASON, JOE	Vesuvius Bay, Salt Spring Island	Miner	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MCDONALD, DUNCAN	Pender Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MCLEAN, THOMAS WILLIAM	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MCLEAN, ROBERT JOHN	Sidney	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MILLER, JOHN	Pulford Harbor	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MOORE, J. C.	North Saanich	Rancher	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MORRIS, TOM RAYMOND	Sidney	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MCKINLEY, GEORGE	North Saanich	Rancher	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MCNEILL, JOSEPH	North Saanich	Blacksmith	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
OTTO, JOHN	North Saanich	Carpenter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
PADDON, GEORGE LOCKE	Mayno Island	Storekeeper	.....Name put on Voter's List by mistake and that he is not entitled to vote.
PRYNN, THOMAS DORLAND	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
ROE, WILLIAM BURNS	Pender Island	Engineer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SCULTHORPE, ALF. CLEM. FISH.	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SCHULTZ, CHARLES JOHN	Saturna Island	Seaman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SCOVILL, JAMES HENRY	James Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SIMPSON, ALBERT	Sidney	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SIVELL, ALFRED GILBERT	Portland Island	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SHEPARD, JOHN SMITH	Salt Spring Island	Carpenter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
STEPHENSON, ALBERT EDMOND	South Salt Spring Island	Preacher of Gospel	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
THOMAS, MORRIS ASBURY	Sidney	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
THOMPSON, ROBERT WILLIAM	Sidney	Carpenter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
TOWNSLEY, GUY	Sidney	Fireman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
TREFUSIS, ROBERT PEEL	Ganges	Gentleman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WARNE, WILLIAM	Lumberman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.	
WAIN, HENRY	North Saanich	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WILSON, HAROLD	Sidney	Railway Clerk	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WILLIAMS, GEORGE	Beaver Point	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.

# PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT SAANICH ELECTORAL DISTRICT

TAKE NOTICE that objections have been filed with me against the following persons named being retained on the List of Voters for the above district on the grounds set forth.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that I will, on Monday, the third day of May, 1909, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at Tennyson Road, Maywood, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining the said objections.

Unless the person objected to, or some other Provincial voter on his behalf, appears at the said Court and satisfies me that the said objection is not well founded, I shall strike the name of such person off the said list.

Dated this 8th day of April, 1909.

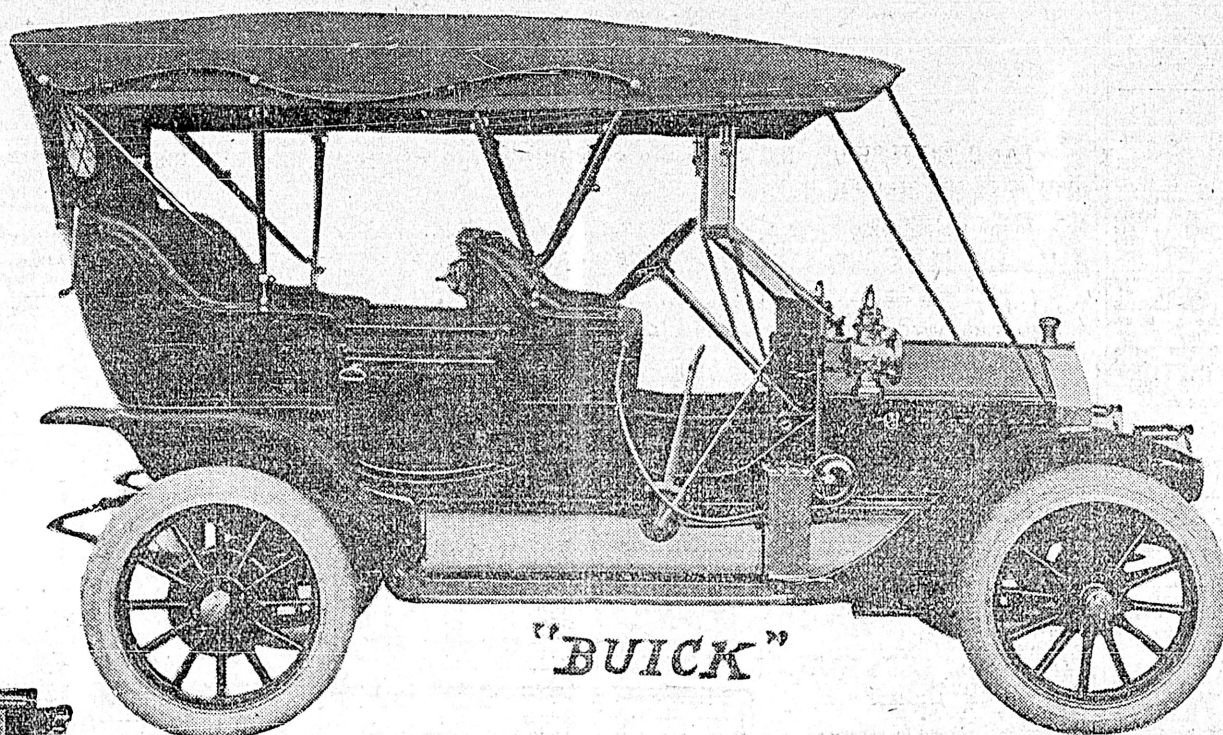
WILLIAM GRAHAM, Registrar of Voters.

Christian Name and Surname of Voter.	Residence.	Profession, Trade or Calling.	Nature of Objection.
ANDERSON, AUG. CORBETT	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
BRUCE, JAMES ALEXANDER	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
CASE, HENRY OSCAR	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Teacher	.....Ceased to reside in the District
DALEY, JAMES BRADFORD	Colquitz Lake District, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
FLESH, CHARLES SHERMAN	Chas. Spring's Lot, Holland Avenue, Maywood P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
FERGUSON, EVERARD PERCIVAL	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
FERGUSON, SAMUEL GARDINER	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
GARNHAM, WILLIAM	Corner Wilkinson and Cary Roads, Colquitz, P. O.	Farmer	.....Deceased.
PERCIVAL, EVERARD	Glenroy Avenue, Victoria P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
PAMPHLETT, ROBERT	Glenroy Road, Maywood P. O.	Marine Engineer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
ROBBINS, JOHN	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Deceased.
SPOTTIS, FREDERICK WALTER	West Saanich Road, Head P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
STEVENS, DAVID	Westwood Farm, West Saanich Road	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District
YATES, JAMES STUART	Craiglelea Farm, Gorge Road, Victoria P. O.	Barrister-at-Law	.....Ceased to reside in the District



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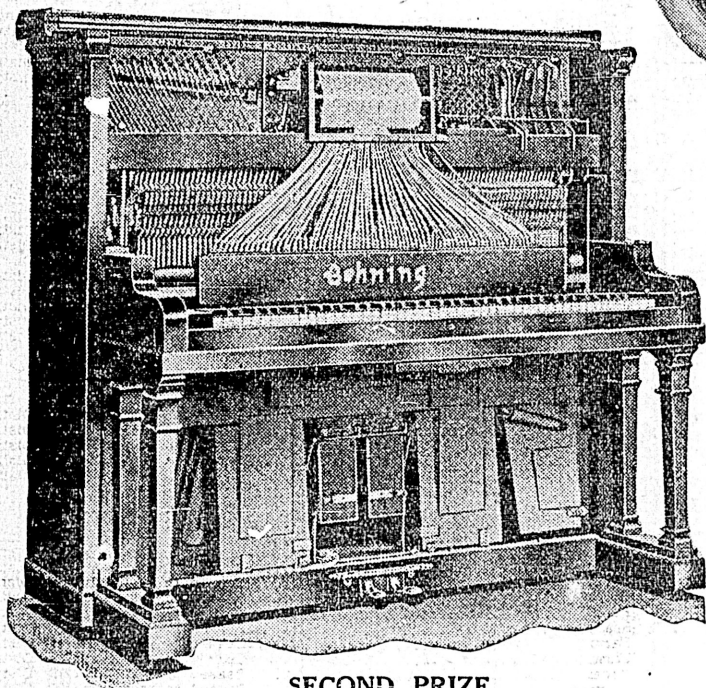
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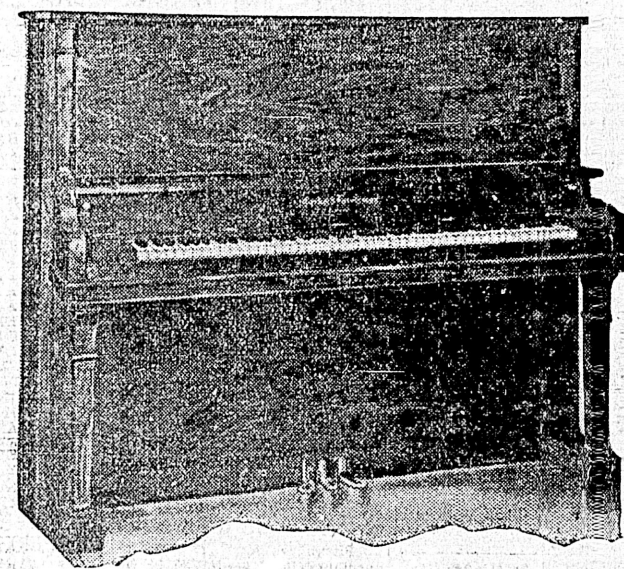
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**THIRD DISTRICT PRIZES**—Two Ladies' Solid Gold Bracelets, set with one Diamond, Value \$70.  
**SPECIAL PRIZES**—Two Ladies' Solid Gold Watches, set with one Diamond, Value \$120.



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**THIRD PRIZE**  
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## Ladies Who Are Competing

This is a list of the ladies who are competing for the splendid list of prizes to be distributed amongst them on May 13th. There is still plenty of time for others to enter if they wish to do so.

### District No. 1

Miss Emma Price.  
Miss Margaret McNiffe.  
Mrs. J. T. Legg.  
Miss Beatrice Heyland.  
Miss Alice M. Wilson.  
Miss Eugenie C. Hewartson.  
Mrs. J. Ringshaw.  
Miss Irene Bannerman.  
Mrs. Wm. Irvine.  
Mrs. J. E. Elliott.  
Miss Maude Flett.  
Miss Ida Catterall.  
Miss Lena Levy.  
Miss Pearl Winch.  
Miss M. Nyland.

Miss Florence Russell.  
Miss Hazel A. Morrison.  
Miss Marguerite Reynolds.  
Miss Marjorie K. Gordon.  
Mrs. Walter McMicking.  
Mrs. M. A. McConnan.  
Miss Violet Warren.  
Miss A. Murray.  
Miss M. Addison.  
Miss Helen Brown.  
Miss Clarice Gray.  
Miss Gemma Gray.  
Miss Mildred Van Geisen.  
Mrs. J. Shaw.  
Miss Edith Byrn.

### District No. 2

**CHEMAINUS.**  
Miss Veta Monk.  
**COWICHAN.**  
Miss Maud Frumento.  
**NANAIMO.**  
Miss Irene Charman.  
Miss Jeannie Patterson.  
Miss Tillie Stevens.  
Miss Cassie McMillan.

**WELLINGTON.**  
Miss Maggie Treloar.  
Miss Annie Leask.  
**DUNCAN.**  
Miss Ruby Van Norman.  
**LADYSMITH.**  
Mrs. James Black.  
Miss Bertha Fingeross.

## CONTEST COMMENTS

Get in all you can by Friday, April 30, and be sure to get one of the Premium Ballots.

You will gain nothing by holding off until later.

Get Ballots and you can hold them as long as you please. Only two weeks more until the close of this great contest.

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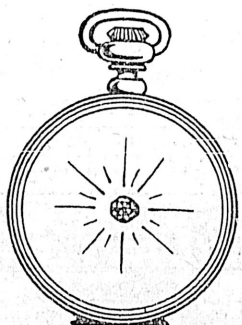


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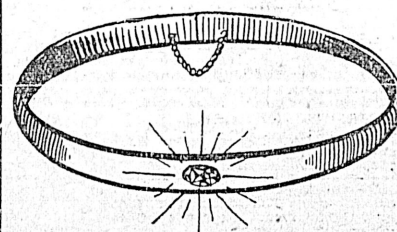
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### Third District Prize

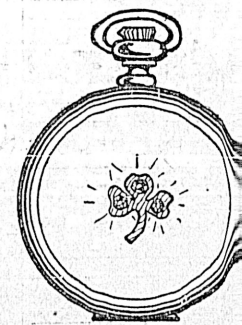


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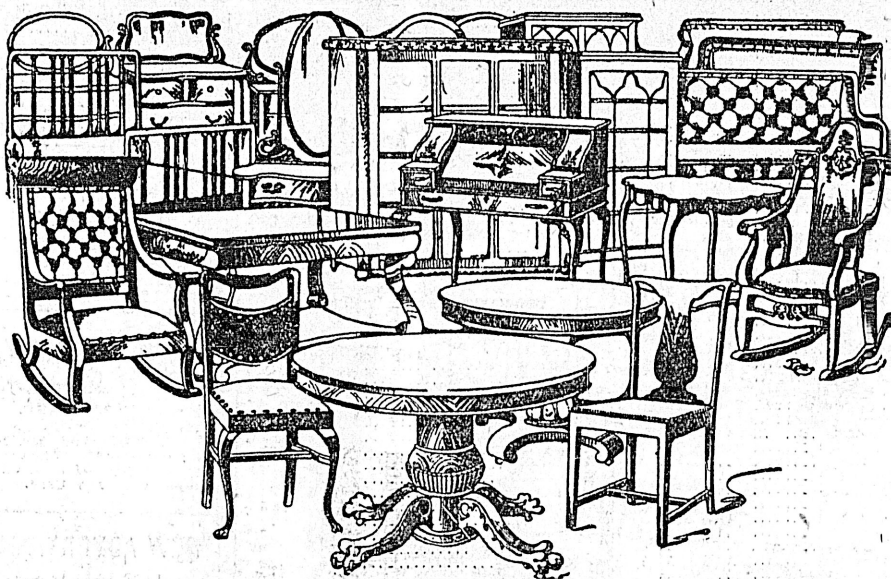




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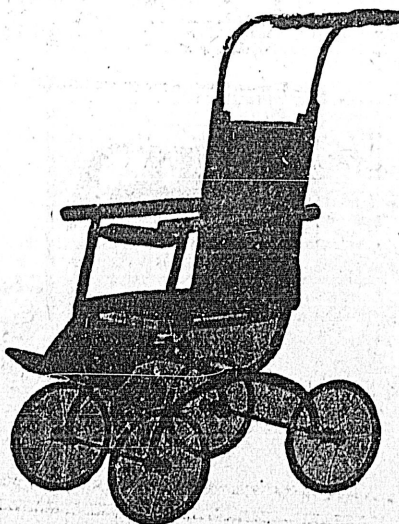
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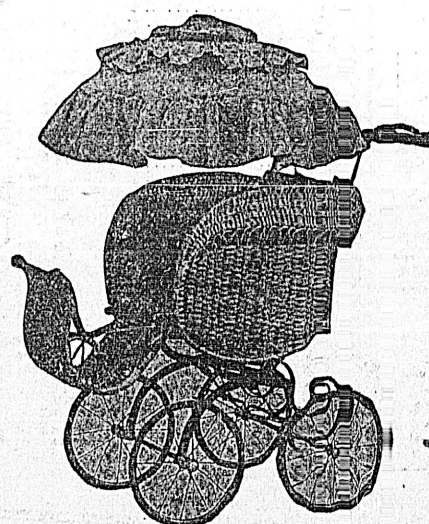
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